

SALOON ATTACKED BY MANY MEN AND FROM EVERY POINT OF VIEW

Mayor, Prosecuting Attorney, City Attorney, Superintendent of Schools, Ministerial Chairman, Brotherhood Presidents Tell Why City Should Be "Against"

A committee of five to work with F. P. Robinson, chairman, was appointed this morning by the chairman, being authorized by the meeting of the Men's Brotherhood, which met at the Christian church last night to discuss the saloon election question.

The men who will work with Mr. Robinson are M. A. Peery, S. G. Gilliam, Fred Hull, W. M. Westbrook and M. E. Ford.

The committee will draw up a tentative plan of organization, will make a recommendation as to the best date for the election, outline the work and make any other suggestions they deem advisable to a mass meeting to be called at their discretion.

About 125 men attended the meeting last night with a few women scattered through the crowd. A resolution was introduced by Ellis G. Cook that the presidents of the brotherhoods should appoint two men to serve with them on an executive committee to have full charge of the dry side of the fight.

This was withdrawn when the opinion of the majority was seen to be that the permanent organization should not be made at that time. Many agreed with the Rev. L. M. Hale that men not in any church should have representation on the committee. M. E. Ford amended the resolution so that the presidents should appoint one other and the ten should increase their number to fifteen by electing at large. This was suggested by the Rev. G. S. Cox.

Free Discussion Held.
A large number of men took part in the discussion, which was what Mr. Cook wanted, as he said when he withdrew his resolution that he merely offered it to get something started. The question of having a feed at the next general meeting was discussed at length.

Several speakers, particularly Dan R. Baker, county recorder, complimented the program committee on the arrangement of speakers so that every phase of Maryville life seemed represented. Mr. Robinson, in introducing Mayor U. S. Wright, first speaker, said that the question was about to be taken up from every standpoint except that of the saloons.

Mayor Wright prefaced his speech by saying that he believed that every man thing that ever had been said or could be said against the saloon was true; that no good had ever or could ever come from the business. But it was his purpose to keep away from that side and give merely dry and "dry" figures.

"We hear a great deal," he said, "about that \$8,400 which the saloons pay the city in licenses. Personally I am like the man who said that he would rather tear up the pavement and sell the old brick than run the city with such money; but that is not necessary."

"City Will Save Money."
"I believe that I can demonstrate that it will be an actual saving of money to the city to abolish saloons. The records of my police court docket for 1913 show that of the 223 cases which came before me, 156 were for drunkenness and 37 for disturbing the peace for which liquor was responsible. In 1914 the figures were 170 drunkenness and 48 figures breaching out of the 307 cases. So far this year it has been 147 and 16 out of 238 cases."

"That makes 70 per cent directly due to saloons and 90 per cent but slightly indirectly traceable to liquor. Now, I have not had time to get the exact figures, but few of these men can pay their fines, and they cost the city 60 cents a day for keep. They won't work when put on the streets."

Mr. Wright said that he believed that the less expense would almost equal the loss in revenue and that the taxes would be but little increased. Maryville now has a 1 mill basis, and they may make a 4 mill levy, which would more than make up the money and would raise taxes but \$3 on each \$1,000 valuation, even if the whole taxation was necessary.

Saloons Get \$20 a Person Here.
Mr. Wright continued his figures to show that \$100,000 at least is spent yearly in saloons here. That means about \$20 apiece yearly. The mayor drove home the fact by various argu-

ments that every citizen pays that \$20, either directly or indirectly. If a bad bill is lost by a merchant because the man drinks, every other customer has to pay a little more for his goods to make up the loss.

"I want to hit hard the 'it don't hurt me because I never touch it' fallacy," said the mayor. "The saloon is a dead weight about our necks. It keeps property values down. The attendance at the Normal is lessened. I believe the biggest boom Maryville has ever known is just waiting for the saloons to close."

"Let me finish with this recital of figures from Waterloo, Ia., a town of 32,000, in their first year without saloons which has recently closed. Building operations in that first saloonless year increased 47 per cent; bank deposits increased 10 per cent and clearings 14. Meanwhile arrests for all crimes decreased 52 per cent and foreclosures of mortgages, suits on notes and all failures in business decreased 29 per cent."

Sawyers Tells of Columbia.
W. C. Sawyers, prosecuting attorney, followed with an answer to the question, "Can the county and state get along without saloons?" He opened his speech by telling of his trip to Columbia to the big game Thursday. He said that he and "Jeff" Ford started out about 10 o'clock in the morning to get the town.

After walking until noon they had only made a good start and both were amazed at the progress they saw. Sawyers said that when he was in the university ten years ago there was not a brick street in the town of less than 6,000. Today an earth street is hard to find, and the population is close to 15,000. Mr. Ford and the prosecuting attorney agreed that it was built better than any city of which they knew, and all of the progress has come in the seven years since Columbia voted the saloons out of their midst, said Sawyers.

"Now, the easy thing here tonight, when we all believe alike, is to say harsh things. I am trying to avoid that, but I have been driven, by what I see and hear in my office and over the state, to the conclusion that any man who says that the saloon and liquor is a necessary evil to any municipality or county or state or nation is either not intelligent or not honest."

"The saloon is a nuisance that we cannot tolerate. All courts have so held it. From every standpoint there is not one good thing that can be said for it. Why is there a welfare board in this agricultural community? Ask any of the charity workers. They will tell you that the charity cases are due to the 'booze.'"

Mr. Sawyers indorsed the mayor's figures, and said that the same per cent of cases coming through his office were due to the saloon. He outlined a number of well known cases in this county and pointed out that men were in the penitentiary from Nodaway county who would have been respectable citizens now but for Maryville saloons.

Only One-Fourth for Schools.
Superintendent W. M. Westbrook said that Maryville schools and churches had always been her pride and boast; yet four times as much is spent each year in the saloons than for all of the public school system. Many things were needed now by Maryville high school and the ward schools which cannot be had for lack of funds.

"No day ever goes by in which we do not feel the saloon's blight in the schools. If a child is irregular in attendance or will not come without force, it is because of lack of clothes and food of a drinking father. The lower mentality of these children is also noticeable."

"In two direct ways we would be helped by the saloon's removal. We are voting the limit for schools, but when property valuation rises with the passing of liquor, our revenues will increase. State aid to schools is based upon regularity of attendance, and if all pupils could be more regular we would get much more from the state."

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BAND CONCERT TOMORROW

Miss Blanch Gray Will Give Violin Solo and a Clarinet Duet Will Be by Maulding and Buthers.

The regular Sunday band concerts will be resumed tomorrow afternoon at the Empire theater at 3:30 o'clock. A violin solo by Miss Blanch Gray and a clarinet duet by Harold Maulding and Albert Buthers will be given. The program:

March, "Semper Fidelis," Sousa
Grand selection, "Maritana," Wallace.
One-step, "I Want to Go to Tokio," Grooms.
Violin solo, selected—Miss Blanch Gray.
Waltz, "Wedding of the Winds," Hall.

March, "Imperial Potentate," Woods.
Clarinet duet, "The Partners," Williams—Harold Maulding and Albert Buthers.

A spring song, "Venitia," Tobani.
March, "Everybody Rag With Me," McCabe.

FORENSWORTH FUND

DR. DELONG AND DR. KIMBALL TO SPEAK AT TOMORROW'S SERVICES

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Men's Banquet Will Follow Monday Night—Kimball Was Here Recently and Was Liked Very Much.

The new Ensworth hospital fund will be presented to the congregation of the First Methodist church here tomorrow morning and evening by Dr. A. DeLong, field secretary of the hospital and the Rev. C. O. Kimball, pastor of the White Temple church in that city.

Dr. DeLong will preach in the morning and Dr. Kimball at night. This is the launching of the campaign for funds with which to build the new building, which is so badly needed by that institution. Maryville district is asked for \$8,000.

No collection will be taken at either of the meetings tomorrow for the hospital nor will any effort be made to



DR. C. O. KIMBALL.

raise any funds directly Sunday. The purpose of the men is to present the matter Sunday and let the men think until the next day.

Men's Banquet Monday Night.
A men's banquet will be held at the church Monday night, at which these two leaders will speak again. In addition, Preston Lowe of Tarkio, hospital trustee for the Maryville district, and Dr. W. F. Burris, district superintendent, will speak.

The dinner will be served by the ladies as usual and will begin at 7:30 o'clock. The definite raising of the funds will be discussed at this meeting.

Oldsmobile 4 for Harold Bellows.
Harold Bellows and R. P. Hosmer went to Kansas City last night, where they received a wine-colored Oldsmobile 4, which was sold to Mr. Bellows by Wadley Brothers. They drove the car back to Maryville today.

FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN,
in Thirteen Down—2 parts
CHARLES CHAPLIN
in His Trysting Places
5 and 10 Cents.

AT THE STAR THEATRE TONIGHT

TO GREECE IN VAIN

BERLIN BELIEVES KITCHENER FAILED OF PURPOSE IN ATHENS.

ITALY ASSURES MINISTER

As Soon as Gorizia Falls He Will Ready to Send Troops to Balkans, Says Rome Officials.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Berlin, Nov. 27.—An Athens dispatch states that Kitchener's mission to Greece was a failure and that Athens now expects an ultimatum and withdrawal of Entente Ambassadors.

It was officially stated today that one hundred thousand Serbians have been captured and two thousand Austro-Hungarian prisoners that were held by the Serbs were released by the retreating Serbian army.

Rome, Nov. 27.—Assurances were given Kitchener that Italy will take active part in Balkans soon.

The English Minister of War stated to the Italians that the fall of Gorizia the Austrian stronghold will release the Italians for use in other fields.

The capture of the Austrian stronghold is expected in a short time. Italians have captured St. Andrew a suburb of Gorizia and are making steady progress to encircle the Austrian stronghold.

Dispatches state that Austria has received strong reinforcements.

Turks Have Good Success.
Constantinople, Nov. 27.—Success for the Turks on both the Persian Gulf and the Dardanelles zones was announced today.

Norwegian Steamer Sunk.
London, Nov. 27.—Norwegian steamer Klar was sunk presumably by a submarine. The crew was saved.

Kitchener On Italian Front.
London, Nov. 27.—A Rome dispatch says that Kitchener is at the front in the Austro-Italian front, where he is conferring with the chief of the Italian staff and King Emmanuel.

7 BOYS STATEMENTS IN

DECISION IN ACRE-YIELD CONTEST NEXT WEEK.

None of the Affidavits Are For as Much as 100 Bushels, So No Record Will Probably Be Made.

Seven affidavits have been received by Bert Cooper, county superintendent of schools and manager of the corn show, from boys who were entered in the acre-yield contest. Indications are that no record will be made as all are less than 100 bushels to the acre.

The boys who have sent in their sworn statements are: Charles E. Hartman and Johnnie Snyder, Barnard; Dale Thompson, John Knepper and Willie Oakerson, Maryville; Floyd Hanna, Bolckow, and Hollis Hayes, Skidmore.

The contest and awarding of the prizes will not be decided until about December 1, in order to make sure that all of the affidavits are sent in. About a dozen applications for blanks were made. The prizes which are offered total \$195. First prize is \$50. Second is \$40, and they range on down to eighth, which amounts to \$5.

Boston Preparing for B. Sunday.

Boston, Nov. 27.—John H. Speice, Billy Sunday's official carpenter, has just finished a tour about the fashionable Back Bay district of Boston looking for a site on which to erect the mammoth tabernacle to be used for the evangelist's meetings here next fall. Sunday already has announced he will open his winter season here in October. The meeting is planned as one of the biggest ones he ever has attempted.

Return to Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hamm, who have been the guests of their daughter, Mrs. William Moll Case, and Mr. Case, will return this evening to their home in Iowa Falls, Ia.

Two Daughters This Week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Workman announce the birth of a daughter, born Tuesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Saunders are rejoicing over the arrival of a daughter yesterday.

11 GREAT MEN WITH FORD

Dr. David Starr Jordan, John Wanamaker and Others Assure Him of Their Presence On Voyage.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
New York, Nov. 27.—Henry Ford left yesterday for Baltimore and Washington to enlist the aid of Cardinal Gibbons and President Wilson in his latest movement to restore peace.

He has received assurance from eleven prominent Americans, including John Wanamaker and David Starr Jordan, and they will join him on his voyage to the peace conference to Europe December 4.

ARMY 7, NAVY 0

END OF FIRST HALF

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
New York, Nov. 27.—The score in the army-navy football game at polo grounds at the end of the first half is army 7, navy 0.

QUITMAN AWARDS

POULTRY SHOW HAD FOURTEEN ENTRIES AND 159 BIRDS.

CUP TO MRS. NICHOLAS

H. England Won Prize for Best Display and Mrs. Sylvia Collins Got Second Sweepstakes.

Awards in the Quitman poultry show, which closed yesterday, were announced this morning. There were fourteen entries, thirty-two coops, and 159 birds.

H. E. Parshall won first pen on Barred Rocks. He also got first cockerel, first and second hens, second and third pullets.

Tom Martin got first, second and third hens, first cockerel and first hen on Single Comb White Leghorns.

Mrs. L. G. Young of Skidmore got first pen on Single Comb Buff Orpingtons and first cockerel. Mrs. T. R. Livengood, Elmo, got first pullet and second pen.

Mrs. W. B. Nicholas got first pen, first, second and third hens on Rose Comb White Wyandottes. Manfred Dean got first pullet.

Mrs. H. E. McDonald on Black Langshans won first pen and first, second and third hens. H. England got first pullet.

Mrs. Sylvia Collins had first pen, first, second and third pullets in Single Comb Brown Leghorns.

H. England had all the firsts in the Single Comb Black Minorcas. He also won second pen. Mr. England had 46 birds and won 13 ribbons.

Sweepstakes was won by Mrs. W. B. Nicholas with a score of 186½ on her White Wyandottes. She won a \$20 silver loving cup.

Second prize sweepstakes of \$5 went to Mrs. Sylvia Collins on Brown Leghorns with 482 and H. England was third. Highest scoring cockerel and pullet was exhibited by Mrs. Collins, which won a silver teapot.

H. England had the highest scoring cockerel winning a rocking chair. H. England won first pen of capons also, a cash prize of \$4, with A. S. Cordell second. Best display was won by H. England and second by A. C. Parshall.

Rural Carriers' Examinations.

Quinton Wilson, Leonard Collins, Gideon Bledsoe and Leland Richards of Guilford were in Maryville Saturday taking the examinations for rural route carriers for an opening in a Graham route.

J. W. Pierce, principal of the Barnard schools, was in Maryville today.

From Barnard to Graham.

Mrs. Maydore Price is disposing of some of her household goods, preparatory to moving to the home of her sister, Mrs. Addison Miller, near Graham. She sold her property some time ago to Roy Dane.—Barnard Bulletin.

Crawford Won First Pen.

W. H. Crawford and sons received word this morning that their pen of Buff Wyandottes received first prize at the Shenandoah show this week. This makes five ribbons for the Crawford birds out of six entries.

Of the 1,979 men registered in the regular courses at the University of Missouri this year, 931 are less than 21 years old. One hundred and ten are less than 18 years old.

S. E. McNAUL DIES IN KANSAS.

Services Tomorrow at O. L. Holmes Residence.

O. L. Holmes received word yesterday of the death of S. E. McNaul, in Chanute, Kan. Mr. McNaul, whose home is in Kansas City, was in Chanute on business and died suddenly while there.

Mr. McNaul married Miss Dora Carver of this city a number of years ago and is well known here and in the county, having been in business in Maitland at one time. He was about 50 years old and is survived by his wife.

The body will be brought here tonight for burial. The funeral services will be held at the home of O. L. Holmes, 817 South Buchanan street, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Wm Moll Case will conduct the services. Burial in Miriam cemetery.

WILSON AND PARTY TO GAME

Mrs. Galt and President in Two Special Cars Go to New York for Army-Navy Football.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.—President Wilson, accompanied by his fiancée and a large party of guests left this morning in two private cars to attend the army and navy football game at the polo grounds in New York.

CALDWELL APPRAISERS NAMED.

County Court Also Orders Nodaway Bonds to be Given Over.

Appraisers for the two tubercular cattle in the herd of C. D. and E. F. Caldwell of Burlington Junction were appointed by the county court in an adjourned meeting yesterday. They were J. A. Speer, M. C. Gray and L. L. Hart. The court entered an order upon the records to turn the \$35,000 over to the proper authorities of Nodaway township as soon as the proper bond of \$70,000 is filed.

Body Brought Here for Burial.

The body of Mrs. Annie Allen (colored), who died in Chicago, Friday, will be brought in on the Burlington tonight for burial.

Dinner at Clearmont.

The wives and mothers of the band boys of Clearmont served dinner Thanksgiving day and made \$60 clear.

NORMAL MEN BUSY

MANY CALLS FOR JUDGES AND SPEAKERS FROM SCHOOL.

KINNAIRD AT CORN SHOWS

President Richardson Will Speak at Altamont Dedication Friday—Osborn at Lasher Monday Night.

The northwest Missouri territory which the Fifth District Normal school serves is making greater use of the specialists on the faculty of the school each year.

R. A. Kinnaird is particularly in demand just at this time in the judging of corn shows. Thursday he was judge at Savannah. Next Wednesday he will go to Mound City to put the ribbons on the corn exhibits. Friday the Rosendale corn show wants him as judge.

President Ira Richardson will speak Friday night at the dedicatory exercises of the new Altamont high school. Several other prominent men of the state will be present and make addresses.

Osborn at Lasher School.

Prof. W. J. Osburn will make the address Monday, scheduled for last week at the Lasher school and which was postponed because of the weather. His subject will be "The Rural Community and a Square Deal." This will be the third of a series of lectures by the Lasher community center and the second Normal man to be invited.

Miss Hettie M. Anthony will go to Kansas City Monday to attend a tri-state conference of home economics teachers from Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska. Miss Lyford of the United States department of agriculture will have charge of the meetings, which continue through Tuesday.

Pastor of Church in Pittsburgh.

Rev. Homer Cook, formerly pastor of the Baptist Church of this city and also president of the State Normal School here, is now pastor of the Oakland Baptist church in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Miss Orpha Carlyle of Burlington

Junction was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ursle Crockett Friday and Saturday.

THE WEATHER

Unsettled weather with probably rain this afternoon or tonight; colder tonight.

U. S. SOLDIER KILLED ON BORDER

TWO OTHERS WOUNDED BY FIRING FROM CARRANZISTAS.

VILLA HAS LOST AND IS RETREATING TODAY

General Funston and American Consul Report That Rebel Will Concentrate at Chihuahua.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.—One American soldier was killed and two wounded yesterday by shooting across the border. It is claimed Carranzistas and not Villistas are responsible, according to the report to the war department today by General Funston.

Villa Lost Everywhere.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.—Consul Simopinche, at Nogales, Ariz., reported to the state department that Villa has lost control of every point along the Sonora border.

He is expected to concentrate his forces about Chihuahua.

DEBATE AT UNITY FRIDAY

Editor and Preacher Will Oppose on Subject of Consolidation of Rural Schools—Special Program.

A debate is being arranged for next Friday night which is attracting more than community interest at the Unity school. "Resolved, That Rural Schools Should be Consolidated," will be the subject.

F. E. Crossan, editor of the Bedford Democratic Free Press, and a former county superintendent of schools of Taylor county, will take the affirmative side of the question.

He will be opposed by the Rev. A. R. Brown, pastor of the Highland church and a former school teacher with considerable experience. Special music and other features will add to the attractions of the evening.

Weddle Divorce Asked For.

Mrs. Bessie May Weddle filed suit for divorce against Forrest J. Weddle in the circuit clerk's office this morning. They were married in Atchison Kan., January 23, 1914, and lived together until August 27, 1915, when she left because of brutal and cruel treatment, she alleges.

Clearmont Men Back.

Tom Noe and Fred Humphrey, who have been running a threshing machine in Kansas all fall, returned home Sunday. They did not bring their outfit back with them, having stored it out there, and expect to run it there again next year.—Clearmont News.

H. S. First Game Here Dec. 17.

The first game on the basket ball schedule of the Maryville high school will be with Maitland here December 17. Maitland has been playing for several weeks and will put up a good game for an opening of the season game.

New Commercial Club Pamphlet.

Vol. 1, No. 1, of a little four-page pamphlet, the Commercial Club Bulletin was issued from the office of the secretary of the Commercial club today. It contains in condensed form the achievements and work of the club for the last month.

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Announcement.

We are authorized to announce Robert I. Young of Buchanan county as a Democratic candidate for Congress from the Fourth district, subject to the primary election to be held August 8, 1916.

GET BEHIND THE PLOW.

From Gallatin Democrat.

Germany, they say, is one vast truck garden, with scarcely a foot of waste ground. This is the policy adopted by the Germans to insure food for the soldiers and the civil population now that the empire is isolated from the outside world.

And if Germany can put millions of men into her armies and still cultivate all of her land, why is it we Americans cannot accomplish greater results with the land in this country, where we have no wars to swallow up our young men and all are free to work?

Just cast your eye around our own community and note the land untill, waiting for the man and the plow. Think of the many thousands of dollars this idle land would produce if there were a man behind and a horse in front of that plow. And think of the unemployed all over the country who are complaining of "no work."

It's bunk—all bunk—this cry of "no work." There's plenty of work in the country for those who are willing to turn their hands to honest work wherever it may be found.

The cold fact is, most people are so arbitrary and stubborn they insist on doing certain kinds of work, or they won't work at all.

Our great cities, and even many of the smaller ones, are simply staggering under the burden of the unemployed, and yet there are millions of acres of rich land waiting in vain for some one to till them.

There may even be people right in our immediate vicinity who are waiting and bemoaning the so-called lack of work, when as a matter of fact there is work for all of them in the fields adjacent to our little city.

The man who can't work should be pitied and cared for, but the fellow who won't work should be kicked out of the community and left to shift for himself. Too many drones waste the substance of those who create.

It might not be a bad idea for the city to own a big truck garden, where work can be furnished those who are unemployed in case family connections are such that they cannot wander abroad in search of fields that are calling them.

And then every man who is unem-

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played, or cannot show a visible means of support, might be required to work in this truck garden for a reasonable wage until such time as he can secure employment at his trade or other occupation.

Some such arrangement as this would solve the unemployed problem so far as we are concerned, and other communities could look after themselves.

In any event something should be done to prevent the waste of good land which we see on every hand, and if Germany can do this while her armies are in the field, surely we can do a little better while we have no armies on the move.

The local man who can solve this problem to the satisfaction of the public and the material weal of the community is big enough to be president of the United States.

Who wants to be president?

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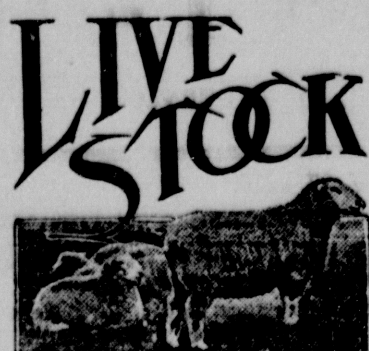


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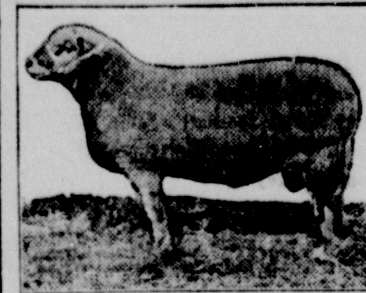


PROFITS IN BREEDING EWES

Beginner Should Select Animals With "Solid" Mouths and Good Udders—Avoid the Old Ones.

(By PROF. HOWARD HACKEDORN, Missouri College of Agriculture.)
More profits have been from breeding ewes than from most other classes of live stock, in the last few years. The present scarcity and high price of cattle and feeder lambs make them more doubtful sources of profit at this time.

Practically all breeding ewes on the market now are western ewes. Among this class, ewes of Merino blood predominate. These ewes will weigh from



A Southdown Sheep.

85 to 110 pounds and shear 5 to 7 pounds of wool. About 130 or 140 of them can be put in an ordinary stock car.

The beginner should buy ewes with "solid" mouths and good udders. Experienced sheepmen frequently succeed with ewes with loose and broken teeth, but for the novice it is not advisable to try the extremely old ewes.

Western ewes will raise good spring lambs when mated with rams of good mutton type. A vigorous, strong yearling ram should serve 35 to 40 ewes. A list of Missouri breeders who have rams for sale can be secured from the department of animal husbandry, University of Missouri, Columbia, Mo.

BUILDINGS FOR LIVE STOCK

Proper Ventilation Is Often Neglected and Animals Suffer in Consequence—Let in Sunlight.

Stock barns should be thoroughly ventilated, whether for hogs, cattle, horses or sheep. It is just as detrimental to an animal to breathe impure air as it is for a human being. A system of ventilation is inexpensive and its results are remarkable.

The buildings should be kept clean and disinfected often enough to insure destruction of poisonous germs. Floors in hog pens, cattle barns, etc. should not be made of boards, for such floors are full of cracks and knot holes, which, with the space underneath them, afford a favorable place for the accumulation of fetid matter.

If hogs have cholera in a board floor pen, and the floor and the accumulation is not taken out and the building thoroughly disinfected, hogs placed in the same pen years afterward are liable to contract the disease from latent germs in the filth. Sunshine being the best disinfectant, movable hog houses and pens are always best.

PUSHING SWINE FROM START

Interesting Data Gathered by Dean of Wisconsin Station—Keep All Young Animals Growing.

Young animals make more pounds of gain from their food than when older. Dean Henry of Wisconsin gathered a lot of data on this, and found that 38-pound pigs required 293 pounds of feed to make 100 pounds of gain, 78-pound pigs required 400 pounds of feed, 128-pound hogs, 437 pounds of feed; 174-pound pigs, 482 pounds; 226-pound pigs, 498 pounds; 271-pound pigs, 511 pounds, and for the 330-pound hogs it took 535 pounds of food to make the 100 pounds of gain, or nearly twice as much as the 38-pound pig. This emphasizes the importance of pushing the hogs from the start in order to make the most economical gains.

It has been found at the North Dakota experiment station that April pigs can be made to weigh 200 to 250 pounds by November 1.

Value of Young Brood Mare.

One good, sound young mare, bought from some reliable farmer or breeder, is worth more for breeding purposes than half a dozen so-called "bargains" picked up in the city.

Hogs Bred for Pork.

Where hogs are bred for pork, it is wise to breed two litters a year. In breeding sows for their progeny to keep up and increase the herd, breed once a year.

Fertilizer Value of Milk.

The fertilizer value of milk comes back in the skimmed milk and if this is fed to hogs it stays right on the farm.



ROAD BUILDING

CONTINUANCE OF GOOD ROADS

Strong Movement Throughout Country for Honoring of Old Trails—Memorial Lincoln Highway.

No state in the nation is richer in road traditions than the state of Maryland. Much of its early history might be written from the records in which road construction, maintenance and litigation figures. Some of the roads of Maryland are of ancient and honorable antiquity, and where these can be perpetuated—under conditions of modern transformation, the state is thereby engaged in preserving



Ancient Highway in Maryland.

valued traditions while giving sanction to the established use of roads that have been traversed a century or more, says Baltimore American. There is a strong movement the country over for the honoring of the old roads and trails. This is manifest in the movement that contemplates a memorial highway to Abraham Lincoln. The Old National Turnpike has clustering about it traditions of history that have been transformed into literary lore under the magic pens of essayists and poets. In the far West agitation for the preservation of the old trails is gaining in strength, and the Old Oregon, and the Old Whiskey and other historic trails that date back to times immemorial will doubtless be preserved as far as possible and, where obliterated by the path of progress, will be marked. Thus the trails followed by the red men from Canada even down to Central America will in time be made matters of record and reverence.

While sentimental and practical considerations may not always be embraced in the conclusions of the good roads commission, yet these should be and doubtless are considered together in so far as the commission has enlightenment and understands the sentiment of the communities affected. But the main proposition is that the people of Maryland are a unit for the continuance of the good roads movement. Baltimore has been greatly advantaged by the construction of paved streets from the country line, over roads that enter the city. It has deep interest in the prosecution of the good roads work for the benefit of the agricultural communities of the entire state. The traffic and transportation advantages are immense, while the state is thereby elevated in the view of the country at large. Let the good roads work go on.

CONTROL OVER LOCAL ROADS

State Highway Departments Should Be Given Some Measure of Supervision Over Thoroughfares.

The realization has become quite general that, in order to render maximum service, state highway departments should be given some measure of control over the construction and maintenance of local roads. For this class of roads an amount exceeding \$160,000,000 is expended annually, with comparatively little result to show in the form of improved road mileage for this great outlay. The state of Iowa has met this situation by placing all the road work in the state under the direction of the state highway department.

Traffic is increasing so rapidly as to cause excessive wear upon the roads, especially in the vicinity of congested centers of population. This results in a heavy annual maintenance cost, averaging in the large eastern states not less than \$750 per mile per annum. Many experiments have been made in the effort to devise types of road which can be maintained at relatively low cost. Thus far, aside from the cheaper forms of construction, the states are depending upon the various forms of bituminous macadam, concrete, and vitrified brick road. Yearbook United States Department of Agriculture.

Lay Tribute on Wealth.

Bad roads lay a heavy tribute upon our agricultural wealth every year. Only a small per cent of the farm, orchard, garden and live stock products may be loaded upon cars without hauling. Some must be hauled over poor roads a long distance. This increases the expense of marketing, which, of course, means waste of our resources.

Horse Knows Good Roads.

If you want to know if good roads are good things, ask a horse.

HOSPITAL WORK HELPS CZARINA

Care of Soldiers Cures Her of Melancholy.

JOY IN IMPERIAL HOME.

Fear Which Was Held in Close Intimacies of Court Circles That She Was Drifting Into Hopeless Insanity Now Dispelled—Her Two Daughters Also Are Actively Engaged.

Petrograd.—If the war has brought unspeakable horror to the Russian people it has also brought comfort to the imperial household of the czar. Prior to the war it was no secret that the czarina suffered from a marked form of melancholia with other mental peculiarities. The fear was held in the close intimacies of court circles that she was drifting into hopeless insanity.

But since the czarina and her two daughters, the Grand Duchess Olga and the Grand Duchess Tatiana, have entered actively into their work as Red Cross nurses the world has gone throughout all the Russians that the mental sickness of the czarina has been cured.

To her constant and self sacrificing labors in the court hospital at Tsarskoe Selo, the village where the famous



Photo by American Press Association.

EMPERESS ALEXANDRA AS RED CROSS NURSE
summer palace of the czar is located, is credited the relief which has come to her mentally.

The czarina and the grand duchesses took a thorough course in training in the care of the wounded soldiers. The czarina threw herself into the organization of the hospital with enthusiasm and had it equipped in the most perfect manner.

It was placed under the direction of the Princess Gedroyc, one of the highest nobility and who has won a national reputation in Russia as one of the foremost women doctors. The czarina, with her daughters, works at the hospital every day from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m. and often later.

So impressed are they with the seriousness and the humanity of their services that they often return in the evenings, and when they have dangerously wounded patients they stay all night. The czarina has also equipped a bath train and presented it to the soldiers in the field.

The court hospital has accommodations for 200 soldiers and thirty officers. The regular nurse's uniform which the royal nurses wear is made of white with a red cross on the left arm. The example of the czarina and her daughters has induced many women of the Russian nobility to devote themselves to Red Cross work.

Some of them have turned over their residences in Petrograd as well as their estates in the country to the soldiers for hospitals. The Grand Duchess Olga is twenty years old and her sister, Tatiana, seventeen. Both of them have been gazetted colonels of two crack cavalry regiments in their father's service.

FINDS DIET CURES CANCER.

London Doctor Reports Seven Complete Recoveries With Nature's Aid.

London.—Seven patients suffering from cancer have been completely cured "by assisting nature's efforts," according to Dr. Robert Bell, head of the cancer research department of the Baitersen General Hospital.

"We have," Dr. Bell recently said, "been able to demonstrate beyond doubt that the healing power of nature, if sufficiently assisted by regulating the diet regimen of patients, together with the administration of therapeutic agents, has proved in many instances quite competent not only to overcome the disease, but to bring about complete recovery."

His Ashes In Parcel Post.

West Palm Beach, Fla.—The ashes of A. Ninomiya, a Japanese who died here several days ago, have been started for Japan by parcel post. Shortly before his death Ninomiya requested that his body be cremated and the ashes sent to Ehima, Japan, where he was born. The ashes were placed in a metal receptacle, which was hermetically sealed.

ALL CHILDREN LOVE "SYRUP OF FIGS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS

Give It When Feverish, Cross, Bilious, For Bad Breath or Sour Stomach.

Look at the tongue, Mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative," they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

CHICAGO HAS SCHOOL FILMS

Second City to Test Motion Pictures as an Educator—Adoption Everywhere Expected.

Chicago, Nov. 27.—Motion pictures as an educational agency will be given their first trial in the United States, in the public schools of this city shortly after January first.

This was the statement today of Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, superintendent of schools, and all members of the Board of Education questioned, were enthusiastic in their endorsement of the idea of "screen education."

The matter became of immediate interest a few days ago when William N. Selig, president of the Selig Polyscope company, announced that after two years of exhaustive study of the film as an educational factor, he was about ready to lay before the school board a proposition which is sure to become universally adopted by the public schools.

"After January 1, films are to be quite generally adopted in the public schools," said Mrs. Young. "Next year will see an increased school fund appropriation, and I will recommend that some stipulated amount be set aside for schools films, geography, the industries and such subjects to be treated."

Dr. Peter Clemensen, a member of the Board of Education, said he had seen films used with great success in the schools of Europe and heartily approved their use here.

"Such a visualization of facts is a great assistance to memory," said Max

Loeb, another member, "and I am for it strong. I know that as a boy I could have gained a much clearer impression of the facts of geography and even history, if a motion picture presentation had accompanied the lectures and study of the text. Within a few years I expect to see films used to assist students in all the large cities of the country."

DESERT MAIL IN AIR.

New Mexico Town Will See Four Aeroplanes Tried.

Gallup, N. M., Nov. 27.—Roman Hubbell, who has the government contract for carrying the mail between Gallup and Ganado, has purchased four aeroplanes which he will place in regular service on the mail route and in the passenger-carrying business between Gallup and Keam's canyon, Fort Defiance, Ganado and St. Michael.

He is awaiting the arrival of a mechanic to install the engines and other equipment in the machines. The mail route to Gallup is across a desert and it has been a more or less unsatisfactory service. It is performed by a Navajo pony and rider.

Mr. Hubbell expects that his air machines will do good passenger business as soon as the people of this section become used to the new method of transportation.

Enjoyed a Duck Hunting Trip.

A party composed of Fleming Carpenter, Paul Sisson and Bert Raines of Maryville, enjoyed a duck hunting trip on the large farm of W. L. Carpenter south of town the last of the week. The ducks, however, had mostly vanished, going south with the storm of the first of the week.—Burlington Junction Post.

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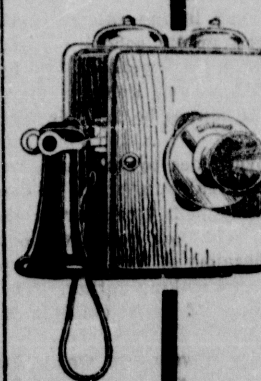
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Dinner Sunday.

Miss Effie McDonald will have as her guests at 6 o'clock dinner Sunday evening at her home Miss Neola Miller, Miss Nettie Miller, Will O'Grady, Dave Seckington, and Harry Scott.

Dinner at Wells Home.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Wells had as their guests at dinner last evening Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hamm of Iowa Falls, Ia., who are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Case, and Mr. Case, and Mr. and Mrs. William Moll Case.

Dinner at Maple Hill Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Guthrie entertained Friday at dinner for their son, Glen. The guests were: Misses Lotus, Gladys and Mary Macomber of Troy, Kan., Grace and Marybell Fisher, Mrs. Bertha Vert and daughter, Miss Augusta May.

Mr. and Mrs. Berney Harris Entertain.

The following guests were pleasantly entertained last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Berney Harris on South Main street, Professor and Mrs. H. A. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Van Cleve, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Van Cleve, Miss Odell Ruch, and Miss Dorothy McDonald.

Mrs. Wilderman Hostess.

Mrs. T. L. Wilderman entertained a few friends in compliment to Mrs. L. Catterson of Duluth, Minn., who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Omer Catterson, yesterday afternoon at her home informally at bridge. Mrs. H. C. Hooker won the high score. Several beautiful vocal selections were rendered during the afternoon by Mrs. A. F. Harvey. Mrs. Wilderman was assisted by Miss Eva Rittenour.

Entertained Last Night.

Miss Fannie Hope entertained a few friends last evening at her home, 315 North Mulberry street. The evening was pleasantly spent playing progressive somerset, after which dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her niece, Charlotte Welch. The guests were: Miss Mary Boggs, Miss Harriet Van Buren, Miss Olive De Luce, Miss Bertha Hook, Miss Orril Helwig, Miss Carrie Hopkins and Miss Emily Coats.

Hum Drums Give Tea Linville Hotel Parlor.

The Hum Drum club gave a tea yesterday afternoon in the parlors of the Linville hotel from 3 to 4 o'clock for the Normal students, the ladies of the Normal faculty and the wives of the men who are members of the faculty. About seventy-five guests were entertained.

Those who assisted the club members were: Miss Mary Lewis, Miss Olivette Godsey and Miss Nina Bent.

Thanksgiving Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Younke entertained a number of guests at 12 o'clock dinner Thanksgiving day at their home. Those in the party were: Mrs. Wallace Hardin of Maitland, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Baublits of Parnell, Mrs. M. C. Baublits and son, George Cowan of Las Animas, Col., Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Baublits, Herman Younke, Jr., Baublitt Wright, Misses Clara Taylor, Elsie and Pearl Marie Wright, Marie, Mabel, Charlene and Adeline Pixler, Doris Younke and the host and hostess.

Hum Drum Club

Annual Progressive Luncheon.

The Hum Drum club will hold its seventh annual progressive luncheon tonight, beginning at 6 o'clock, at the home of Miss Vera Tilson, with Miss Tilson and Miss Eleanor Smith as hostesses. The second course will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Wilfley, with Miss Marjorie and Miss Geneva as hostesses. The third course will be served at the home of Mrs. Edward Wright Gray, at her home on West Third street, with Mrs. Gray and Miss Carrie Margaret Baker hostesses.

The fourth course will be served at Reuillard's cafe, with Miss Blanche Shipp and Miss Ruth Reuillard hostesses, after which the club will have a business meeting and elect officers.

The members of the club are Misses Marjorie and Geneva Wilfley, Dale Hoffman, Carrie Margaret Baker, Vera Tilson, Eleanor Smith, Ruth Reuillard and Miss Blanche Shipp.

Mock Trial and Box Supper Gili School Wednesday Night.

A mock trial was given at the Gili school house Wednesday night, November 24. The indictment read as follows: "The prosecution of this case brings forth Mr. Oliver King, charged with stealing one chicken from W. W. Wood. This was a Blue Minorca hen 7 years of age and she was taken from a nest consisting of thirty-three eggs some time between 10 and 12 o'clock

Maryville Lyceum Course

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Arthur Walwyn Evans
Welsh Wit and Humorist

Thursday, December 2, 8 o'clock p. m.

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Monday night. The plaintiff, upon hearing the bark of a dog, did three-upon investigate and did see the defendant leaving said hen house going towards the road, and thereupon saw him struggling to get through the fence.

"Tuesday morning the sheriff was called and found near the fence one coat, which will be offered as evidence to convince beyond doubt that the said defendant is guilty."

Mr. Joe Davis acted as sheriff and S. O. Keever as judge. Mr. Will Smith of Maryville was lawyer for the plaintiff and A. L. Oakerson represented Mr. King.

The jury comprised Walter Williams, Ott Monk and William Hammond. The defendant was found guilty and his sentence was that he must draw on the board a picture of the chicken which was stolen. This he did. Following the trial was a prophesy and newspaper which was enjoyed by all.

Miss Hazel Teson of Skidmore was voted the most popular young lady and was awarded a box of bon bons.

George Hammond of Maryville was voted the best looking man, and received a pair of black silk hose. The proceeds of the entertainment was \$30. Miss Mary Carter is the teacher.

Mrs. Colby Entertains.

Mrs. J. F. Colby entertained this afternoon at her home with an informal tea in compliment to her sister, Mrs. Paul Ream of Kansas City and niece, Miss Esther Saunders of Pueblo, Col.

Will o' the Wisp Club

Entertains at Bellows Home.

The Will o' the Wisp club entertained about forty friends last night at the home of Miss Mildred Bellows. The house was beautifully decorated in autumn leaves and pink and yellow chrysanthemums. The evening was pleasantly spent playing games, and Miss Georgia Evans and Mr. Howard Martin won the prizes playing "turkey," after which a two-course luncheon was served. The color scheme of pink and yellow was cleverly carried out in the luncheon and also in the table decorations, which were dainty yellow candlesticks tied with bows of pink tulle. Music was furnished on the victrola.

The guests were: Misses Mary Carpenter, Josephine Wilderman, Leola Pierpoint, Ruth Hankins, Laura Curfman, Louise Rowlett, Mary Louise Andrews, Mary Heffern, Mary Margaret Richey, Mary Condon, Georgia Evans, Messrs. Will Van Cleve, Donald Hagins, Omer Lyle, Leland Leffler, Hester Lyle, Dewey Saunders, Harley Hughes, Clarence Cook, Rolla Curnutt, Ellison Frank, Eugene Aley, Phillip Colbert, Kenneth Van Cleve, Claude Glass, Forrest Gillam, Martin Lewis, Jr., Charles Bellows, Harold Martin, Eugene Martin and Barnes Combs of Kansas City, who is the guest of Harold Martin.

The members of the club are: Misses Mildred Bellows, Mabel Curnutt, Elfreida Linville, Virginia Robinson, Marie Wright, Elizabeth Leet, Lillian Carpenter and Mary Wooldridge.

Yuletide Fair and Bazaar.

Christian Church Parlors Next Week.

The ladies of the Christian church will hold their annual Yuletide fair and bazaar Wednesday and Thursday, December 1 and 2, in the church parlors. The feature of this event will be the parcel post and homemade rug sale, which will be under the direction of Mrs. Ellis Cook and Mrs. L. E. Forsyth, and the latter under the direction of Mrs. J. B. Robinson. They will have a Japanese booth, which will have all sorts of clever suggestions for gifts and in this booth they will also have the homemade candies. In addition to the fair they will serve a chicken pie dinner on Wednesday, for which the ladies are quite famous, and they will have a fried chicken supper, Thursday they will serve a roast beef dinner and all those who have taken dinner with them in the past know that these ladies excel in these dinners.

The fair will be open at night, but there will not be any program.

The ladies in charge of the different departments are: fancy work and useful articles, Mrs. Ed Hamlin, Mrs. R. L. McDougal, Mrs. O. W. Swinford and Mrs. Lee Crossan. The Japanese

booth, Miss Harriet VanBuren; dining room, Mrs. U. S. Wright, Mrs. George Hartley, Mrs. E. D. Holmes and Mrs. Eugene Rathbun. Menu, Mrs. J. R. Brink, Mrs. F. P. Reuillard, Mrs. Jack Anderson, Mrs. J. G. Melvin, Mrs. W. A. Miller and Mrs. Robinson Craven.

"WHAT WILL I GET TO EAT?"

Housewife's Age Old Question Will Be Answered by Experts at St. Joseph Farm Congress, Dec. 9-11.

"What shall I get for dinner?" that old, old question that arises in every household, just as soon as the men folks push back from the breakfast table, is to have a thorough discussion by experts at the third annual Interstate Agricultural and Industrial congress to be held at St. Joseph, Dec. 9-11.

It will be taken up by three very bright women who are trying to solve the problems of farm women in Missouri and Kansas—Miss Bab Bell and Miss Addie D. Root of the extension department of the University of Missouri, and Miss Louise Caldwell of Kansas. They are noted for the good work they have done in the last few years.

BE CAREFUL

When You Mail Your Christmas Packages.

The November issue of the United States Postal Guide has just been received in the city and contains a number of suggestions, which if followed out, will insure the prompt delivery of your packages, and will also greatly facilitate the work of the army of men employed by Uncle Sam, for the purpose. The following is a list of suggestions, it will do well to follow: Prepay postage fully on all parcels. Address parcels fully and plainly. Place name and address of sender on all matter.

Pack articles carefully and wrap them securely, but do not seal them, as sealed parcels are subject to postage at the letter rate.

Mail parcels early. They may be marked, "Do not open until Christmas."

Insure valuable parcels.

Written inscriptions such as "Merry Christmas," "Happy New Year," "With Best Wishes," and numbers, names or letters for purpose of description are permissible additions to fourth class (parcel post) mail. Books may bear simple, dedicatory inscriptions not of a personal nature. Other written additions subject parcels to letter postage. Communications prepaid at first class rate may be sent with parcels prepaid at fourth class rate, provided they are placed in envelopes securely attached to outside parcels.

Liked Hanson's Refereeing.

Pattonburg defeated Hamilton high school here 44-11 Thursday. Prof. Walter Hanson, superintendent of athletics of the Northwest Normal at Maryville, refereed the game to the entire satisfaction of both teams. He says it was one of the cleanest games he ever refereed.—Pattonburg Call.

Nodaway Boy's Grades Best.

Word has been received here that T. F. Merrigan, Jr., who is attending college at St. Mary's, Kan., won first honors at the examinations held last week. His average in all branches was ninety-four and one-fourth per cent, and his deportment was perfect. The student making the best average receives a white ribbon—Conception Courier.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Wolfers of Burlington Junction, entertained these guests at dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Limerick and daughters, Misses Winifred and Dorothy of Savannah, Miss Katherine Morgan of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. C. Wolfers Jr., and daughter, Miss Mildred, and Jack Robinson of Hopkins, Harry Wilson of this place. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wolfers and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wolfers and daughter, Miss Mary, of Pickering, motored to Burlington Junction and were their guests.—Burlington Junction Post.

Minnesota Guests Here.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Catterton have as their guests their son, Dr. L. Catterton, and Mrs. Catterton of Duluth, Minn.

THIS COW COULD SUPPLY 47

Holstein in M. U. Dairy Herd Gives 64,957 Pounds of Milk in Three Years.—Normal Care and Feed.

If you were keeping forty-seven persons in a boarding house and had only one cow to supply milk and butter, what would you do?

If the cow were Carlotta Pontiac, a 12-year-old Holstein bred and owned by the dairy husbandry department of the College of Agriculture of the University of Missouri at Columbia and you gave each boarder an amount equal to the per capita consumption of milk and butter in the United States, you would not need to do anything but sell 9,543 pounds of milk every year. That is the amount she produced each of the last three years above the per capita allowance for forty-seven persons. The per capita consumption is figured, on the calculation of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, as 17.6 pounds of butter a year and one-third of a quart of milk a day.

In three years Carlotta Pontiac has produced 64,957 pounds of milk and 2,480 pounds of butter. The average Missouri cow would have furnished in that time 10,500 pounds of milk and 420 of butter, about one-sixth as much as Carlotta. At the average price in Columbia of 7½ cents a quart for the milk, Carlotta's product in three years would be worth \$2,319.90. At 30 cents a pound for the butter and 25 cents a hundred pounds for the skim milk, it would be worth \$882.05. The latter return would involve little cost of handling.

Carlotta Pontiac's three-year record perhaps has not been equalled by any other cow in Missouri. She is still producing milk, having given birth to a heifer calf three weeks ago. However, she is not on test now. The production of Carlotta Pontiac is made possible by her breeding. A record made by her three years ago was broken a year later by her ungrateful sister.

Like other cows in the dairy herd at the University, Carlotta eats grain, corn silage, and alfalfa hay. Of the silage and hay she has all she will eat. With the grain she gets cotton seed meal and bran.

75 AUTOS FOR CHICAGO, P. O.

Machines Will Supplant Street Cars and Save \$75,000.

Chicago, Nov. 27.—Seventy-eight automobiles have been placed in service by the post office department, to transport all mails between the main and branch offices and the various railroad stations, supplanting the wagon and special street car services.

The government has been paying approximately \$75,000 a year for the use of twelve cars on Chicago street car lines between certain stations and has let contracts for the hauling to other points to private contractors.

Of a list of 737 women at the University of Missouri at Columbia compiled during registration week, only twenty-eight expressed no preference as to church membership.

Seventy of the 200 students in the Two Year Winter Course in Agriculture at the University of Missouri at Columbia are taking the work in practical dairying.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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WATERWAYS AS DEFENSE

SENATOR JAMES A. REED LEADING SPEAKER AT RIVERS CONGRESS

National Water Improvement Members Will Discuss Needs in Washington Dec. 8-10—To Make Fight.

Washington, Nov. 27.—Waterways as a means of national defense will be a keynote struck at the next Convention of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, which meets in Washington, D. C., December 8-9-10. This topic will be treated by Congressman J. Hampton Moore of Pennsylvania, who has studied the subject thoroughly and is well qualified to speak with authority. With preparedness the crucial issue before the country, this discussion is especially opportune. It is expected that Representative Moore will stress the value of improved inland waterways as an aid to the speedy mobilization of American forces in event of a threatened invasion.

The National Rivers and Harbors Congress plans to hold a tremendous Convention, as a strong protest against the bitter attacks made recently upon waterway appropriations. "The proper improvement of the Nation's worthy water courses" will be the battle cry.

Among the prominent men who will address the organization will be Gov. Edward F. Dunne of Illinois, whose subject is "The Illinois Waterway." The west's interest in waterways will be championed by the new Senator from California, Hon. James B. Phelan. The Missouri river, which was so caustically criticized by ex-Senator Burton, will be the subject of an address by Senator "Jim" Reed, of Missouri, who will fire the opening broadside in its defense.

Moving pictures, especially prepared for the purpose, and showing the work

of improving the Mississippi river, will be a novel auxiliary to the address of Congressman Ben Humphreys of Mississippi.

A Big Buck Deer.

A big buck deer was jumped in the country north of Dawsonville Sunday morning and gave the men and boys in that locality a lot of fun during the day. The animal walked down the road close to the F. D. Hurst home and Dallas said that it was a fine antlered buck and would weigh about 300 pounds. The deer easily jumped high fences and at one place on the road

almost caused a team to run away. When darkness came the deer was still at large and the crowd of tired hunters gave up the chase. Deer have been reported at several places in the county and it would not be surprising to hear of one being brought to bag.—Burlington Junction Post.

Funeral Services Held.

Funeral services of Mrs. F. M. Schweikhardt, who died Monday night, were held Thursday at the Mt. Ayr church at 1 o'clock. Rev. J. H. Thompson conducted the services. Burial was in Miriam cemetery.



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By watching the advertisements from day to day in the Democrat-Forum the people of Maryville and vicinity are saving money. They see the articles advertised that they have been looking for and at prices they want to pay, so in this way the consumer is being educated to the fact that advertising is of great benefit to him.

The growing demand for advertising space in the Democrat-Forum goes to show that advertising is a first class investment for those who are using it.

If you are a merchant who wants to increase your business we give you a special invitation to let us show you how you can do so. It is simply by the persistent use of good advertising copy in

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Episcopal.
Services in the K. of P. hall, on the north side of the square. Archdeacon Johnson of Kansas City will conduct the services.

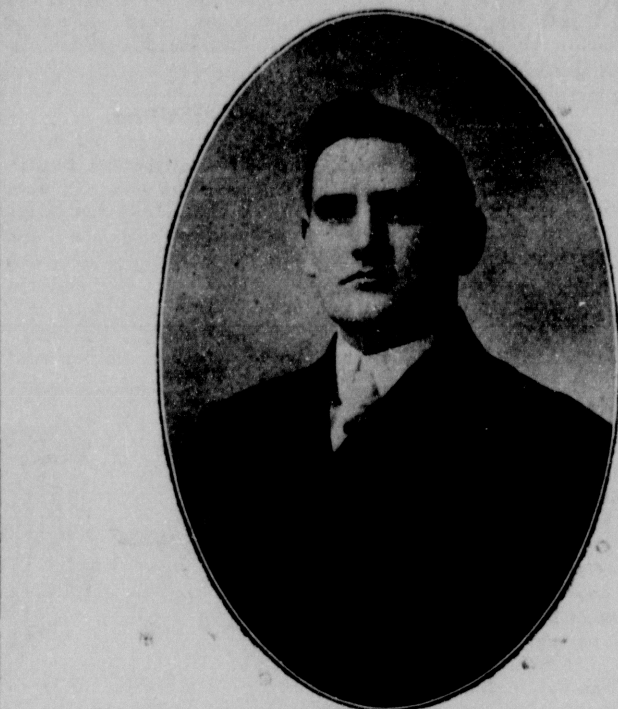
Buchanan Street Methodist.
Preaching by pastor at each service. Other meetings at usual hours. Subject of morning sermon, "Our Church Papers." Evening subject, "Christ, Our Example."

First Methodist.
At 11 a. m. Rev. A. H. DeLong, D. D., field secretary of Ensworth hospital, St. Joseph will preach.
At 7:30 p. m. Rev. C. O. Kimball, D. D., pastor White Temple, St. Joseph, will speak on Ensworth hospital.

First Christian.
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.
Morning worship at 11 a. m. Rev. C. M. Miller of Kansas City will preach both morning and evening. His subject for the morning service will be "Turning Back."
Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.
Evening service at 7:30. Subject, "The Two Ways."

First Baptist.
Lewis M. Hale, pastor.
Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock.
Morning worship at 11. Sermon subject, "Tried But True." Anthem, "I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes Unto the Hills." Danks, Mrs. Westbrook will sing "Gloria." Buzzi-Pecca.
B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Miss Viva Cloud and Miss Marcia Cutler, leaders.
Evening worship at 7:30. Subject, "Comparative Values of Man." The pastor is anxious to see everybody in their places. The public cordially invited.

First Presbyterian.
William Moll Case, pastor.
The church school at 9:45 o'clock has a welcome for all not otherwise schooled.
The morning worship at 11 a. m. is knit together by the thought of "Nehemiah's call to eat the fat and drink the sweet." The special musical number will be a solo by Mrs. Case. The sermonette for the Junior congregation is "The One Page from the Book of Rules for Children: When Children May Cry." All without a church home are invited to find the same with us. The evening worship at 7:30 p. m. The theme for this meeting, "Neutrality Impossible." The ladies' quartet, whose numbers at the Thanksgiving



REV. C. EMERSON MILLER, AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH TOMORROW.

praise evoked such favorable comment, will be heard again at this time.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.
206 South Main.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Subject, "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism Denounced." No Sunday night service.
Mid-week prayer service Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.
Reading room, Michan building, over Townsend's grocery, each afternoon from 2 until 5 o'clock.
Everyone welcome to the use of the reading room and to all services.

Gives Thanksgiving Dinner.
The Cemetery association at Quitman served a turkey dinner at the W. O. W. hall Thanksgiving day which was attended by a large crowd from all over the county, and the people in Quitman entertained their guests there instead of serving dinner at home.
Among those who had guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Dean, who entertained Mr. and Mrs. Sid Dean and son John, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dean and children, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Duttrick and children and Mrs. Will Powers of Parnell.
The association cleared \$41.75, which will be used for the up-keep of the cemetery.

Marriage Licenses.
J. A. Buxton.....Creston
Minnie Swobody.....St. Joseph
Lee E. Campbell.....Hopkins
Ethel George.....Hopkins

Closing Out Sale

Having, decided to leave the state, I will sell at public sale, 8 miles east and 1 3-4 miles north of Maryville and 3 1-2 miles north-west of Ravenwood and 1 1-4 miles south of Harmony church, on

Tuesday, December 7, 1915

The following described property:

4 HEAD OF HORSES--Team of bay mares, 4 and 5 years old, 2 colts.

11 HEAD OF CATTLE--7 head of good milk cows, 4 head of calves.

16 HEAD OF HOGS--11 head of summer pigs, 5 shoats.

HAY AND GRAIN--About 18 tons of hay, some corn and oats.

IMPLEMENTS--Busy Bee cultivator, disc harrow, harrow, 16-in sulky plow, farm wagon, hay frame, mowing machine, 2 sets work harness, saddle, some household goods, sewing machine, chair, coal heater and many other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS--All sums of \$10 and under cash, over that amount 3, 6 or 9 months time on bankable note bearing 8 per cent from date.

R. P. HOSMER, Auct.

S. H. KEMP, Clerk

Roy Lattin

CLOSING OUT SALE

As I am going to quit farming, I will sell at Public Sale at the Wm. Doran farm, 4 miles northwest of Ravenwood, 2 miles south and 1 mile west of Harmony, and 7 miles east and 1 mile north of Maryville, on the following described property to wit:

Wednesday, December 1, 1915

HORSES--1 brown mare, 4 years old, gentle for lady; 1 bay horse, 4 years old, 1 black horse 3 years old, 1 brown horse 3 years old, 2 good big brood mares, 2 yearlings, mare and horse; 1 good suckling colt. All horses are in good shape.

CATTLE--23 milch cows, good ones most of them giving milk now, 1 to be fresh in February.

HOGS--6 good brood sows with pigs by side and 5 tried brood sows.
IMPLEMENTS--1 wagon, 1 buggy, 1 gang plow new, 1 corn planter and check row new, 1 2-row go-devil, new; 1 endgate seeder, new; 1 disc harrow new; 1 2-section harrow, 2 cultivators, 1 14-inch walking plow, 2 sets of Concord harness, 1 set Slip-tug harness, all good as new; 1 set single harness steel coal oil barrel and contents, 2 incubators, 1 Old Trusty 150 egg capacity, and 1 Fairfield 150 egg capacity, 1 telephone, about 10 tons of timothy and clover hay, mixed, in barn, and about the same amount in stack, also 4 tons of straight clover hay.

TERMS OF SALE--All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash. Over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time will be given to purchaser giving approved bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Positively nothing to be taken from premises until terms are complied with.

Lunch by Corn Belt Cafe. Sale starts promptly at 10 a. m.

W. F. SAWYER, Auctioneer.

JOSEPH JACKSON, Jr., Clerk.

Wm. Broyles

DAIRY FACTS

RULES FOR FILLING A SILO

Iowa Agricultural Experiment Station Offers Some Excellent Suggestions on the Work.

To farmers who are filling silos this year for the first time, the Iowa agricultural experiment station offers these suggestions:

The corn should be cut when the kernels are dented, or when about a fourth of the husks and lower leaves are turning brown. It should be as near maturity as possible and yet contain enough moisture to insure fermentation.

Either a half-inch of three-quarter-inch cut is best because that length insures less waste and a larger pack of corn in the silo.

Slow filling makes it possible to pack the corn more thoroughly and get in a larger tonnage. With rapid filling the cost is less, but to fill to capacity the silage should be allowed to settle and then refill.

Corn should be uniformly packed in the silo and with good distribution of stalks and ears. If the sides are kept about two feet higher than the center, the silage wedges against the sides, keeps in the heat of fermentation and kills molds.

Water needs to be added when filling if the corn in the silo is not moist. Water must always be added when the corn is very ripe, when the corn is severely frozen before it is properly matured, or when filling late in the fall with shocked corn.

Keep the sides of the silo airtight by filling cracks with soft clay, if the silo is wooden, or with cement if of masonry.

USEFUL MILK BOTTLE HOLDER

Corrugated Strips Riveted to Intermediate Frame Hold Narrow-Necked Vessels in Position.

There are upper and lower rectangular frames to a milk bottle case, recently patented by a young San Francisco inventor. Corner angles unite the two frames, and intermed-



Milk Bottle Holder.

ate frame is secured to the corner angles. A longitudinal bar is riveted to the middle frame near the center. Corrugated strips are riveted to the intermediate frame and the longitudinal bar, these holding the milk bottles in place by acting as side supports. Various deviations of the main idea are covered with three other patents.

SERIOUS DISEASE OF CALF

White Scours Usually Appear Within Two or Three Days After and Are Often Fatal.

White scours, or calf cholera, come on so soon after birth that often the calves are dead before they are considered to be seriously sick.

This disease usually appears within two or three days after the calf is dropped. Seldom do any cases develop after the calf is two or three months old.

The symptoms are usually failure to eat, the calf lying down much of the time, the eyes grow dull, and a peculiar pasty white excretion is noticeable. The calf often dies within 24 hours. Only immediate attention will save it.

The disease is usually contracted by infection through the navel cord. Prevention is better than cure.

HORSE LABOR IS NECESSARY

Many Important Factors Can Be Controlled by Manager in Making Dairy Farming Successful.

Horse labor is a necessary item on the dairy farm and should command much attention from the manager. If its efficiency drops the profits of the farm are decreased, and the profits from the cows must bear a loss in the horse-labor item. It is seen then that successful dairying is not making a success with cows alone, but profitably combining a number of factors. Man, labor and crop yields per acre are other important factors that can be controlled to a considerable extent by the manager.

Flavor of Milk Affected.
The odor and flavor of milk are very readily affected by rape, cabbage, turnips, and other feeds having strong odors, and if these are used they should be given after milking. In which case there is little danger of imparting an unpleasant flavor or odor to the milk.

Demand for Dairy Butter.

There is always a good local demand for really good farm dairy butter. There is a sentiment connected with homemade butter, which is not attached to that made in butter factories, which impels people to buy it at something above the going price.

FAIRM STOCK

DRUGS GIVEN TO LIVE STOCK

Medicines Are Administered by People Without Knowledge of Action--Study Symptoms of Animals.

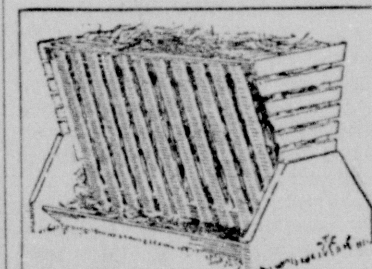
Frequently drugs are administered by people without any knowledge of their action. One individual only recently asked what he should give his horse when acointe and nitre had failed to cure. It is always best for one to know the action of a drug before it is administered to live stock. A thorough study of the symptoms of the animal should be made before any drugs are given. Just because certain drugs have succeeded in some neighbor's horses, there is no reason they will cure yours. To illustrate—a horse is suffering from colic. A dose of opium would be correct to give if it is spasmodic colic, while if the patient has impaction of the bowels a dose of opium would only pack the bowels the harder. A dose of acointe should never be given when the heart is weak and slow, for the reason that acointe depresses the heart and will cause death. On the other hand, acointe would be the proper drug to give when the heart was beating full and strong and very rapid. A common mistake is to give horses sweet spirits of nitre when suffering from frequent urination, as this drug is a diuretic or increases the flow of urine. It only aggravates the trouble in this particular case.

In diseases of the respiratory tract when the high fever has caused constipation one should never use aloes on account of the danger from super-purgation. Raw linseed oil is preferable, as it is much safer.

CONCRETE FLOOR IS FAVORED

Much Waste of Feed Can Be Prevented by Average Farmer--Roughage Rack for Swine Is Shown.

There is a great deal of feed wasted on the average farm each year, but so little is lost at a time that you seldom notice it. If you would take the time to count up what is knocked out of the troughs by the animals and trampled under foot in one month's time you would be so surprised at the large



Roughage Feed Rack for Swine.

quantity that you would all take steps to be more careful in the future.

One of the most common ways of wasting feed is to feed it upon the ground when the surface is wet or soft. Feed scattered about in this fashion will soon be tramped upon and buried under the mud. Pigs, especially, are wasteful of feed given to them in this way, but many feeders have realized the loss and have prevented it by building concrete feeding floors which will not only pay their cost in the feed they save in a few years, but enable the quarters to be kept in a mere sanitary condition.

Feed may be wasted when it is fed in the mangers in excess of the animal's needs. This is a loss that is easily preventable, for the feeder if he is observing will know just how much the animal will eat up clean.

For feeding alfalfa, clover, soy bean hay or other coarse feed, a rack of the kind shown in the illustration is handy and prevents waste. More simple racks are often constructed on the inside of a hog house by placing them against one of the sides of the building or adjoined to the pen partition.

DAMAGED WHEAT FOR SWINE

Greater Gains Obtained in Tests in Feeding It Alone Than With Corn in Fattening Hogs.

The grade and market price of part of the 1915 wheat crop has been so much reduced by sprouting in the shock that it is not too high for hog feed. Recent feeding tests by L. A. Weaver at the Missouri experiment station have shown that wheat fed alone gives greater gains in fattening hogs than either corn alone or corn mixed with wheat. The addition of tankage to the ration resulted in still more economical gains, especially during the early part of the feeding period.

If ground, the wheat is better digested and three pecks produce as much grain as a bushel of unground wheat, both being soaked.

Pig Feeding Experiment.

At the Ontario station, 100 pounds of meal, when fed to 40-pound pigs, proved equal to 406.9 pounds of skim milk and to from 37.6 to 48.5 pounds of tankage, depending upon the grade used. The skim milk was fed in the proportion of about one and a half pounds to one pound of meal, the tankage one pound to about six pounds of meal.

MARKET REPORTS

TODAY'S MARKETS BY WIRE.

Grain Market Futures.
Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Kansas City, Nov. 27.—WHEAT—December, 96½¢; May, \$1.00½.
CORN—December, 60½¢; May, 63¾¢.

Kansas City Live Stock.
Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Kansas City, Nov. 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 100.
HOGS—Receipts, 2,000. Market steady; top, \$6.70; bulk, \$6.30@6.60.
SHEEP—Receipts, none. Market weak.

Chicago Live Stock.
Chicago, Nov. 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 200. Market slow. Estimate tomorrow, 20,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 20,000. Market weak to 5¢ lower; top, \$6.80.
SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000. Market weak.

St. Joseph Live Stock.
St. Joseph, Nov. 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 100. Market slow.
HOGS—Receipts, 8,200. Market weak to 5¢ lower; top, \$6.55.
SHEEP—Receipts, 1,500. Market weak.

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SALOON ATTACKED BY MANY MEN

(Continued from page 1.)
Brotherhood Men Speak.

Prof. H. A. Miller for the First M. E. Brotherhood said that the men must get away down deep in their hearts a hatred for the saloon and a determination that it must go from the whole nation. He quoted a large list of figures on the saloon problem showing what a tremendous economic waste the business is.

Then he told the most gripping story of the evening when he outlined the career of a young man going from a country home to a city and making good in a large way; then going down to a drunken vagabond where he is today.

"Do you wonder that I hate the saloon so intensely," said Professor Miller, "when I tell you that the man is my own blood brother?"

W. H. Crawford said that he took it that it was one of the big business jobs of the men's brotherhoods of the churches to put the saloons out of business. He told the story of Huckleberry Finn and the rattlesnake and said that the brotherhoods were just about to throw their stone at the snake's head.

M. A. Peery of the Wage Earners said that now was the time to begin, and his remarks were seconded by F. P. Robinson, speaking for the Christian brotherhood. The Rev. G. S. Cox told of the way the church is hampered at home and abroad by the saloon. He said that his subject was, "Can the churches get along without the saloon?" and answered by saying that they can't get along very well with it.

Many Favor Earliest Date.

Mr. Peery said that he had talked to a large number of business men yesterday and that all were in favor of having the election at the earliest moment possible. Mr. Robinson said that all were agreed that February 3 was legal, and many lawyers thought that it could be held any time after January 5.

Fred Hull, speaking on organization, said that it was an acknowledged fact that the anti-saloon forces had a comfortable majority, and that what was necessary was to see that all of them got to the polls. He recommended the forming of ward squads, as in a political fight. He insisted that there was no use to argue with many, because everyone knows that saloons are an evil.

W. C. Van Cleve, on the same subject, said that when the question of organization was reached it was time to clear the deck for action, stop the pyrotechnics and get down to business. He said that there were three questions: Shall we make the fight against the saloons? That has been answered by an affirmative.

When? As soon as possible, the majority are saying. Then the how of the election was all that was left. The first "how" is that the dry forces should go out with one word as a goal constantly before them, "Win." He recommended the selection of a broad practical man to lead the campaign, and the gathering around him of men of like caliber as advisers and collaborators. Mr. Van Cleve also recommended that as soon as possible a complete poll of the voters of the city and their sentiments be taken.

You Can Enjoy Life

Eat what you want and not be troubled with indigestion if you will take a
Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet
before and after each meal. Sold only by us—25¢ a box.

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Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25¢ for three days.
Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.
Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

Miscellaneous.

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

WANTED—Man to sell trees, shrubs, roses, berry bushes. Permanent. Brown Brothers, Nurseries, Rochester, N. Y.

LOST—Automobile casing, Silver-toned cord tire, 36x4½, new. \$5.00 reward. Return to G. L. Wilfley. 26-29*

WANTED—You to attend the public sale at J. V. Moore's farm, near Harmony, Friday, Dec. 3. 5 horses, 3 mules, 26 cattle, 80 hogs, all extra good, will be sold. 26-29*

WANTED—To buy some rags; will pay 50¢ per hundred pounds. 1321 East Third. 27-30.*

SALESMEN—\$300 to \$500 per month salary or commission selling our oils, greases, paints and other specialties. Do not be satisfied; get our proposition. Inland Oil Works Co., Cleveland, O. 27*

For Rent.

FOR RENT—Rooms close in. 418 West Second. . .

FOR RENT—6-room modern house, corner Vine and Fifth. Inquire J. D. Dickerson, Farmers phone 185. 6-11

FOR RENT—Modern cottage on West First. See Dr. Jesse Miller. 26-29

FOR RENT—To right party cheap, 6-room house on West Ninth. R. S. Branger. 26-29

FOR RENT—Rooms for light house-keeping, furnished or unfurnished 208 South Saunders 27-30.*

For Sale.

FOR SALE—New corn. Also 4 Poland-China gilts. Farmers phone 219. 23-25*

FOR SALE—Two registered O. I. C. boars, 1 yearling sow and 2 gilts. W. W. Andrews, route 4, Farmers phone 45-17. 20-27*

FOR SALE OR RENT—Now empty 6-room house adjoining Normal grounds; 15 lots. J. T. Hayes, West Twelfth street. 25-11

FOR SALE—Duroc-Jersey boars, Col. Wonder breeding, eligible to record. R. L. Hurst, Bolckow. Phone 327.

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, eligible to record. A. B. Dowden and Dale Partridge, route 3, Maryville. Farmers phone. 22-11

FOR SALE—Rose Comb White Leghorn cockerels. Also a few Mammoth White Holland turkey toms. Mrs. E. S. Byerrum, Pickering, Mo., route 1. 26-29*

FARM FOR SALE—120 acres, all upland, 8 miles east and 5 miles north of Maryville, 4 miles west and 1 mile south of Parnell. \$2,000 will handle it. Investigate this before you buy. See owner, Alex Fraser, Farmers phone 40. d26-2 w 2

FOR SALE—100 head of ewes, to lamb early. Also wood of all kinds. Prices right. Saunders Bros., Hannano 3698. 27-11

FOR SALE—160 acres, improved, close in, part bottom for \$900. Leslie, Ark. 27*

FOR SALE—White Indian Runner ducks, Carlisle strain, white egggers, 75¢ each. Farmers phone 11-17. *

FOR SALE—Dressed hogs, my own raising. Can deliver any time. J. J. Pyles, Farmers phone 32-12; Route No. 6. 27-30*

Irene Alloway Breaks Arm.

Irene Alloway, the 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Alloway, while playing in the orchard Thursday afternoon about 4 o'clock, caught her foot in a roll of wire and fell, breaking her right arm. Dr. Will Wallis of Maryville was called and set the arm.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND.
A Medical Aid for the Suffering from Indigestion, Stomach and Bowel Disorders, Biliousness, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, etc.
Take one or two pills after each meal. Buy of your Druggist or send for a box of 25 pills for 50¢.
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

SALOON ATTACKED BY MANY MEN AND FROM EVERY POINT OF VIEW

Mayor, Prosecuting Attorney, City Attorney, Superintendent of Schools, Ministerial Chairman, Brotherhood Presidents Tell Why City Should Be "Against"

A committee of five to work with F. P. Robinson, chairman, was appointed this morning by the chairman, being authorized by the meeting of the Men's Brotherhood, which met at the Christian church last night to discuss the saloon election question.

The men who will work with Mr. Robinson are M. A. Peery, S. G. Gilman, Fred Hull, W. M. Westbrook and M. E. Ford.

The committee will draw up a tentative plan of organization, will make a recommendation as to the best date for the election, outline the work and make any other suggestions they deem advisable to a mass meeting to be called at their discretion.

About 125 men attended the meeting last night with a few women scattered through the crowd. A resolution was introduced by Ellis G. Cook that the presidents of the brotherhoods should appoint two men to serve with them on an executive committee to have full charge of the dry side of the fight.

This was withdrawn when the opinion of the majority was seen to be that the permanent organization should not be made at that time. Many agreed with the Rev. L. M. Hale that men not in any church should have representation on the committee. M. E. Ford amended the resolution so that the presidents should appoint one other and the ten should increase their number to fifteen by electing at large. This was suggested by the Rev. G. S. Cox.

Free Discussion Held.

A large number of men took part in the discussion, which was what Mr. Cook wanted, as he said when he withdrew his resolution that he merely offered it to get something started. The question of having a feed at the next general meeting was discussed at length.

Several speakers, particularly Dan R. Baker, county recorder, complimented the program committee on the arrangement of speakers so that every phase of Maryville life seemed represented. Mr. Robinson, in introducing Mayor U. S. Wright, first speaker, said that the question was about to be taken up from every standpoint except that of the saloons.

Mayor Wright prefaced his speech by saying that he believed that every man thing that ever had been said or could be said against the saloon was true; that no good had ever or could ever come from the business. But it was his purpose to keep away from that side and give merely dry and "dry" figures.

"We hear a great deal," he said, "about that \$8,400 which the saloons pay the city in licenses. Personally I am like the man who said that he would rather tear up the pavement and sell the old brick than run the city with such money; but that is not necessary."

"City Will Save Money."

"I believe that I can demonstrate that it will be an actual saving of money to the city to abolish saloons. The records of my police court docket for 1913 show that of the 223 cases which came before me, 156 were for drunkenness and 37 for disturbing the peace for which liquor was responsible. In 1914 the figures were 170 drunkenness and 48 peace breaking out of the 307 cases. So far this year it has been 147 and 16 out of 238 cases."

"That makes 70 per cent directly due to saloons and 90 per cent but slightly indirectly traceable to liquor. Now, I have not had time to get the exact figures, but few of these men can pay their fines, and they cost the city 60 cents a day for keep. They won't work when put on the streets."

Mr. Wright said that he believed that the less expense would almost equal the loss in revenue and that the taxes would be a little increased. Maryville now has a 1 mill basis, and they may make a 4 mill levy, which would more than make up the money and would raise taxes but \$3 on each \$1,000 valuation, even if the whole taxation was necessary.

Saloons Get \$20 a Person Here.

Mr. Wright continued his figures to show that \$100,000 at least is spent yearly in saloons here. That means about \$20 apiece yearly. The mayor drove home the fact by various argu-

ments that every citizen pays that \$20, either directly or indirectly. If a bad bill is lost by a merchant because the man drinks, every other customer has to pay a little more for his goods to make up the loss.

"I want to hit hard the 'it don't hurt me because I never touch it' fallacy," said the mayor. "The saloon is a dead weight about our necks. It keeps property values down. The attendance at the Normal is lessened. I believe the biggest boom Maryville has ever known is just waiting for the saloons to close."

"Let me finish with this recital of figures from Waterloo, Ia., a town of 32,000, in their first year without saloons which has recently closed. Building operations in that first saloonless year increased 47 per cent; bank deposits increased 10 per cent and clearings 14. Meanwhile arrests for all crimes decreased 52 per cent and foreclosures of mortgages, suits on notes and all failures in business decreased 29 per cent."

Sawyers Tells of Columbia.

W. G. Sawyer, prosecuting attorney, followed with an answer to the question, "Can the county and state get along without saloons?" He opened his speech by telling of his trip to Columbia to the big game Thursday. He said that he and "Jeff" Ford started out about 10 o'clock in the morning to see the town.

After walking until noon they had only made a good start and both were amazed at the progress they saw. Sawyer said that when he was in the university ten years ago there was not a brick street in the town of less than 6,000. Today an earth street is hard to find, and the population is close to 15,000. Mr. Ford and the prosecuting attorney agreed that it was built better than any city of which they knew, and all of the progress has come in the seven years since Columbia voted the saloons out of their midst, said Sawyer.

"Now, the easy thing here tonight, when we all believe alike, is to say harsh things. I am trying to avoid that, but I have been driven, by what I see and hear in my office and over the state, to the conclusion that any man who says that the saloon and liquor is a necessary evil to any municipality or county or state or nation is either not intelligent or not honest."

"The saloon is a nuisance that we cannot tolerate. All courts have so held it. From every standpoint there is not one good thing that can be said for it. Why is there a welfare board in this agricultural community? Ask any of the charity workers. They will tell you that the charity cases are due to the 'booze.'"

Mr. Sawyer endorsed the mayor's figures, and said that the same per cent of cases coming through his office were due to the saloon. He outlined a number of well known cases in this county and pointed out that men were in the penitentiary from Nodaway county who would have been respectable citizens now but for Maryville saloons.

Only One-Fourth for Schools.

Superintendent W. M. Westbrook said that Maryville schools and churches had always been her pride and boast; yet four times as much is spent each year in the saloons than for all of the public school system. Many things were needed now by Maryville high school and the ward schools which cannot be had for lack of funds.

"No day ever goes by in which we do not feel the saloon's blight in the schools. If a child is irregular in attendance or will not come without force, it is because of lack of clothes and food of a drinking father. The lower mentality of these children is also noticeable."

"In two direct ways we would be helped by the saloon's removal. We are voting the limit for schools, but when property valuation rises with the passing of liquor, our revenues will increase. State aid to schools is based upon regularity of attendance, and if all pupils could be more regular we would get much more from the state."

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BAND CONCERT TOMORROW

Miss Blanch Gray Will Give Violin Solo and a Clarinet Duet Will Be by Maulding and Butherus.

The regular Sunday band concert will be resumed tomorrow afternoon at the Empire theater at 3:30 o'clock. A violin solo by Miss Blanch Gray and a clarinet duet by Harold Mau'ding and Albert Butherus will be given. The program is:

March, "Semper Fidelis," Sousa
Grand selection, "Maritana," Wallace.

One-step, "I Want to Go to Tokio," Grooms.

Violin solo, selected—Miss Blanch Gray.

Waltz, "Wedding of the Winds," Hall.

March, "Imperial Potentate," Woods.

Clarinet duet, "The Partners," Williams—Harold Maulding and Albert Butherus.

A spring song, "Venitia," Tobani.

March, "Everybody Rag With Me," McCabe.

FORENSWORTH FUND

DR. DELONG AND DR. KIMBALL TO SPEAK AT TOMORROW'S SERVICES

Men's Banquet Will Follow Monday Night—Kimball Was Here Recently and Was Liked Very Much.

The new Ensworth hospital fund will be presented to the congregation of the First Methodist church here tomorrow morning and evening by Dr. A. DeLong, field secretary of the hospital and the Rev. C. O. Kimball, pastor of the White Temple church in that city.

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No collection will be taken at either of the meetings tomorrow for the hospital nor will any effort be made to

raise any funds directly Sunday. The purpose of the men is to present the matter Sunday and let the men think until the next day.

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The dinner will be served by the ladies as usual and will begin at 7:30 o'clock. The definite raising of the funds will be discussed at this meeting.

Oldsmobile 4 for Harold Bellows.

Harold Bellows and R. P. Hosmer went to Kansas City last night, where they received a wine-colored Oldsmobile 4, which was sold to Mr. Bellows by Wadley Brothers. They drove the car back to Maryville today.

Francis X. Bushman, in Thirteen Down—2 parts

CHARLES CHAPLIN in His Trysting Places

5 and 10 Cents.

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Services Tomorrow at O. L. Holmes Residence.

O. L. Holmes received word yesterday of the death of S. E. McNaui, in Chanute, Kan. Mr. McNaui, whose home is in Kansas City, was in Chanute on business and died suddenly while there.

Mr. McNaui married Miss Dora Carver of this city a number of years ago and is well known here and in the county, having been in business in Maitland at one time. He was about 50 years old and is survived by his wife.

The body will be brought here tonight for burial. The funeral services will be held at the home of O. L. Holmes, 817 South Buchanan street, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Wm Moll Case will conduct the services. Burial in Miriam cemetery.

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Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.—One American soldier was killed and two wounded yesterday by shooting across the border. It is claimed Carranzistas and not Villistas are responsible, according to the report to the war department today by General Funston.

Villa Lost Everywhere.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.—Consul Simppinche, at Nogales, Ariz., reported to the state department that Villa has lost control of every point along the Sonora border.

He is expected to concentrate his forces about Chihuahua.

DEBATE AT UNITY FRIDAY

Editor and Preacher Will Oppose on Subject of Consolidation of Rural Schools—Special Program.

A debate is being arranged for next Friday night which is attracting more than community interest at the Unity school. "Resolved, That Rural Schools Should be Consolidated," will be the subject.

F. E. Crossan, editor of the Bedford Democratic Free Press, and a former county superintendent of schools of Taylor county, will take the affirmative side of the question.

He will be opposed by the Rev. A. R. Brown, pastor of the Highland church and a former school teacher with considerable experience. Special music and other features will add to the attractions of the evening.

Weddle Divorce Asked For.

Mrs. Bessie May Weddle filed suit for divorce against Forrest J. Weddle in the circuit clerk's office this morning. They were married in Atchison Kan., January 23, 1914, and lived together until August 27, 1915, when she left because of brutal and cruel treatment, she alleges.

Clearmont Men Back.

Tom Noe and Fred Humphrey, who have been running a threshing machine in Kansas all fall, returned home Sunday. They did not bring their outfit back with them, having stored it out there, and expect to run it there again next year.—Clearmont News.

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GET BEHIND THE PLOW.

From Gallatin Democrat.

Germany, they say, is one vast truck garden, with scarcely a foot of waste ground. This is the policy adopted by the Germans to insure food for the soldiers and the civil population now that the empire is isolated from the outside world.

And if Germany can put millions of men into her armies and still cultivate all of her land, why is it we Americans cannot accomplish greater results with the land in this country, where we have no wars to swallow up our young men and all are free to work?

Just cast your eye around our own community and note the land untillied, waiting for the man and the plow. Think of the many thousands of dollars this idle land would produce if there were a man behind and a horse in front of that plow. And think of the unemployed all over the country who are complaining of "no work."

It's bunk—all bunk—this cry of "no work." There's plenty of work in the country for those who are willing to turn their hands to honest work wherever it may be found.

The cold fact is, most people are so arbitrary and stubborn they insist on doing certain kinds of work, or they won't work at all.

Our great cities, and even many of the smaller ones, are simply staggering under the burden of the unemployed, and yet there are millions of acres of rich land waiting in vain for some one to till them.

There may even be people right in our immediate vicinity who are walling and bemoaning the so-called lack of work, when as a matter of fact there is work for all of them in the fields adjacent to our little city.

The man who can't work should be pitied and cared for, but the fellow who won't work should be kicked out of the community and left to shift for himself. Too many drones waste the substance of those who create.

It might not be a bad idea for the city to own a big truck garden, where work can be furnished those who are unemployed in case family connections are such that they cannot wander abroad in search of fields that are calling them.

And then every man who is unem-

Catarrh and Colds Relieved

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THE PERUNA CO., Columbus, Ohio

Mrs. Emma Gannon, 107 E. South St., Kewanee, Ill., writes: "For fifteen years I had catarrh of the head and stomach. I could hardly walk. My attention was called to 'The Ills of Life.' I read it through. Then bought a bottle of Peruna. I am entirely well now."

played, or cannot show a visible means of support, might be required to work in this truck garden for a reasonable wage until such time as he can secure employment at his trade or other occupation.

Some such arrangement as this would solve the unemployed problem so far as we are concerned, and other communities could look after themselves.

In any event something should be done to prevent the waste of good land which we see on every hand, and if Germany can do this while her armies are in the field, surely we can do a little better while we have no armies on the move.

The local man who can solve this problem to the satisfaction of the public and the material wealth of the community is big enough to be president of the United States.

Who wants to be president?

20 Years Experience in Truss Fitting. When we take your measure for a Truss it must fit and do the work or no pay. See us for your Truss.

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Guess Work Is DANGEROUS In Fitting Glasses

The old way of fitting glasses by guessing at the kind needed was often more harmful than going without them. NO GUESS WORK NOW. I submit the test, the correction, and the cost to you before you are asked to pay a single cent. You take no risk nor incur any obligation by coming to me about your eyes.

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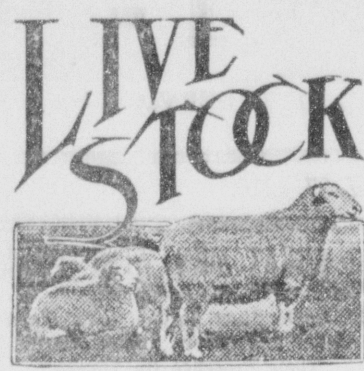
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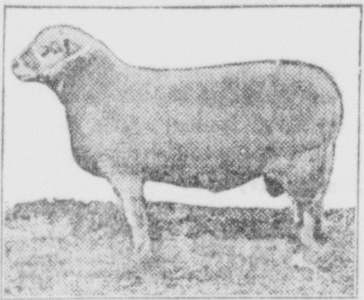


PROFITS IN BREEDING EWES

Beginner Should Select Animals With "Solid" Mouths and Good Udders—Avoid the Old Ones.

(By PROF. HOWARD HACKEDORN, Missouri College of Agriculture.)
More profits have been made from breeding ewes than from most other classes of live stock, in the last few years. The present scarcity and high price of cattle and feeder lambs make them more doubtful sources of profit at this time.

Practically all breeding ewes on the market now are western ewes. Among this class, ewes of Merino blood predominate. These ewes will weigh from



A Southdown Sheep.

85 to 110 pounds and shear 5 to 7 pounds of wool. About 130 or 140 of them can be put in an ordinary stock car.

The beginner should buy ewes with "solid" mouths and good udders. Experienced sheepmen frequently succeed with ewes with loose and broken teeth, but for the novice it is not advisable to try the extremely old ewes.

Western ewes will raise good spring lambs when mated with rams of good mutton type. A vigorous, strong yearling ram should serve 35 to 40 ewes. A list of Missouri breeders who have rams for sale can be secured from the department of animal husbandry, University of Missouri, Columbia, Mo.

BUILDINGS FOR LIVE STOCK

Proper Ventilation Is Often Neglected and Animals Suffer in Consequence—Let in Sunlight.

Stock barns should be thoroughly ventilated, whether for hogs, cattle, horses or sheep. It is just as detrimental to an animal to breathe impure air as it is for a human being. A system of ventilation is inexpensive and its results are remarkable.

The buildings should be kept clean and disinfected often enough to insure destruction of poisonous germs. Floors in hog pens, cattle barns, etc., should not be made of boards, for such floors are full of cracks and knot holes, which, with the space underneath them, afford a favorable place for the accumulation of fetid matter.

If hogs have cholera in a board floor pen, and the floor and the accumulation is not taken out and the building thoroughly disinfected, hogs placed in the same pen years afterward are liable to contract the disease from latent germs in the filth. Sunshine being the best disinfectant, movable hog houses and pens are always best.

PUSHING SWINE FROM START

Interesting Data Gathered by Dean of Wisconsin Station—Keep All Young Animals Growing.

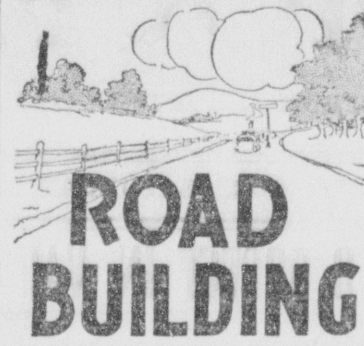
Young animals make more pounds of gain from their food than when older. Dean Henry of Wisconsin gathered a lot of data on this, and found that 38-pound pigs required 253 pounds of feed to make 100 pounds of gain, 78-pound pigs required 400 pounds of feed, 128-pound hogs, 437 pounds of feed; 174-pound pigs, 482 pounds; 226-pound pigs, 498 pounds; 271-pound pigs, 511 pounds, and for the 330-pound hogs it took 535 pounds of food to make the 100 pounds of gain, or nearly twice as much as the 38-pound pig. This emphasizes the importance of pushing the hogs from the start in order to make the most economical gains.

It has been found at the North Dakota experiment station that April pigs can be made to weigh 200 to 250 pounds by November 1.

Value of Young Brood Mare.
One good, sound young mare, bought from some reliable farmer or breeder, is worth more for breeding purposes than half a dozen so-called "bargains" picked up in the city.

Hogs Bred for Pork.
Where hogs are bred for pork, it is wise to breed two litters a year. In breeding sows for their progeny to keep up and increase the herd, breed once a year.

Fertilizer Value of Milk.
The fertilizer value of milk comes back in the skimmed milk and if this is fed to hogs it stays right on the farm.



ROAD BUILDING

Strong Movement Throughout Country for Honoring of Old Trails—Memorial Lincoln Highway.

No state in the nation is richer in road traditions than the state of Maryland. Much of its early history might be written from the records in which road construction, maintenance and litigation figures. Some of the roads of Maryland are of ancient and honorable antiquity, and where these can be perpetuated—under conditions of modern transformation, the state is thereby engaged in preserving



Ancient Highway in Maryland.

valued traditions while giving sanction to the established use of roads that have been traversed a century or more, says Baltimore American. There is a strong movement the country over for the honoring of the old roads and trails. This is manifest in the movement that contemplates a memorial highway to Abraham Lincoln. The Old National Turnpike has clustering about it traditions of history that have been transformed into literary lore under the magic pens of essayists and poets. In the far West agitation for the preservation of the old trails is gaining in strength, and the Old Oregon, and the Old Whiskey and other historic trails that date back to times immemorial will doubtless be preserved as far as possible and, where obliterated by the path of progress, will be marked. Thus the trails followed by the red men from Canada even down to Central America will in time be made matters of record and reverence.

While sentimental and practical considerations may not always be embraced in the conclusions of the good roads commission, yet these should be and doubtless are considered together in so far as the commission has enlightenment and understands the sentiment of the communities affected. But the main proposition is that the people of Maryland are a unit for the continuance of the good roads movement. Baltimore has been greatly advantaged by the construction of paved streets from the country line, over roads that enter the city. It has deep interest in the prosecution of the good roads work for the benefit of the agricultural communities of the entire state. The traffic and transportation advantages are immense, while the state is thereby elevated in the view of the country at large. Let the good roads work go on.

CONTROL OVER LOCAL ROADS

State Highway Departments Should Be Given Some Measure of Supervision Over Thoroughfares.

The realization has become quite general that, in order to render maximum service, state highway departments should be given some measure of control over the construction and maintenance of local roads. For this class of roads an amount exceeding \$160,000,000 is expended annually, with comparatively little result to show in the form of improved road mileage for this great outlay. The state of Iowa has met this situation by placing all the road work in the state under the direction of the state highway department.

Traffic is increasing so rapidly as to cause excessive wear upon the roads, especially in the vicinity of congested centers of population. This results in a heavy annual maintenance cost, averaging in the large eastern states not less than \$750 per mile per annum. Many experiments have been made in the effort to devise types of road which can be maintained at relatively low cost. Thus far, aside from the cheaper forms of construction, the states are depending upon the various forms of bituminous macadam, concrete, and vitrified brick road.—Yearbook United States Department of Agriculture.

Lay Tribute on Wealth.
Bad roads lay a heavy tribute upon our agricultural wealth every year. Only a small per cent of the farm, orchard, garden and live stock products may be loaded upon cars without hauling. Some must be hauled over poor roads a long distance. This increases the expense of marketing, which, of course, means waste of our resources.

Horse Knows Good Roads.
If you want to know if good roads are good things, ask a horse.

HOSPITAL WORK HELPS CZARINA

Care of Soldiers Cures Her of Melancholy.

JOY IN IMPERIAL HOME.

Fear Which Was Held in Close Intimacies of Court Circles That She Was Drifting Into Hopeless Insanity Now Dispelled—Her Two Daughters Also Are Actively Engaged.

Petrograd.—If the war has brought unspeakable horror to the Russian people it has also brought comfort to the imperial household of the czar. Prior to the war it was no secret that the czarina suffered from a marked form of melancholia with other mental peculiarities. The fear was held in the close intimacies of court circles that she was drifting into hopeless insanity.

But since the czarina and her two daughters, the Grand Duchess Olga and the Grand Duchess Tatiana, have entered actively into their work as Red Cross nurses the word has gone throughout all the Russians that the mental sickness of the czarina has been cured.

To her constant and self sacrificing labors in the court hospital at Tsarskoe Selo, the village where the famous



Photo by American Press Association.

EMPERESS ALEXANDRA AS RED CROSS NURSE summer palace of the czar is located, is credited the relief which has come to her mentally.

The czarina and the grand duchesses took a thorough course in training in the care of the wounded soldiers. The czarina threw herself into the organization of the hospital with enthusiasm and had it equipped in the most perfect manner.

It was placed under the direction of the Princess Gedroze, one of the highest nobility and who has won a national reputation in Russia as one of the foremost women doctors. The czarina, with her daughters, works at the hospital every day from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m. and often later.

So impressed are they with the seriousness and the humanity of their services that they often return in the evenings, and when they have dangerously wounded patients they stay all night. The czarina has also equipped a bath train and presented it to the soldiers in the field.

The court hospital has accommodations for 200 soldiers and thirty officers. The regular nurse's uniform which the royal nurses wear is made of white with a red cross on the left arm. The example of the czarina and her daughters has induced many women of the Russian nobility to devote themselves to Red Cross work.

Some of them have turned over their residences in Petrograd as well as their estates in the country to the soldiers for hospitals. The Grand Duchess Olga is twenty years old and her sister, Tatiana, seventeen. Both of them have been gassed colonels of two crack cavalry regiments in their father's service.

FINDS DIET CURES CANCER.

London Doctor Reports Seven Complete Recoveries With Nature's Aid.

London.—Seven patients suffering from cancer have been completely cured "by assisting nature's efforts," according to Dr. Robert Bell, head of the cancer research department of the Brompton General hospital.

"We have," Dr. Bell recently said, "been able to demonstrate beyond doubt that the healing power of nature, if sufficiently assisted by regulating the diet regimen of patients, together with the administration of therapeutic agents, has proved in many instances quite competent not only to overcome the disease, but to bring about complete recovery."

His Ashes In Parcel Post.
West Palm Beach, Fla.—The ashes of A. Niinomiya, a Japanese who died here several days ago, have been started for Japan by parcel post. Shortly before his death Niinomiya requested that his body be cremated and the ashes sent to Ehima, Japan, where he was born. The ashes were placed in a metal receptacle, which was hermetically sealed.

ALL CHILDREN LOVE "SYRUP OF FIGS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS

Give It When Feverish, Cross, Bilious, For Bad Breath or Sour Stomach.

Look at the tongue, Mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative;" they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

CHICAGO HAS SCHOOL FILMS

Second City to Test Motion Pictures as an Educator—Adoption Everywhere Expected.

Chicago, Nov. 27.—Motion pictures as an educational agency will be given their first trial in the United States, in the public schools of this city shortly after January first.

This was the statement today of Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, superintendent of schools, and all members of the Board of Education questioned, were enthusiastic in their endorsement of the idea of "screen education."

The matter became of immediate interest a few days ago when William N. Selig, president of the Selig Polyscope company, announced that after two years of exhaustive study of the film as an educational factor, he was about ready to lay before the school board a proposition which is sure to become universally adopted by the public schools.

"After January 1, films are to be quite generally adopted in the public schools," said Mrs. Young. "Next year will see an increased school fund appropriation, and I will recommend that some stipulated amount be set aside for schools films, geography, the industries and such subjects to be treated."

Dr. Peter Clemensen, a member of the Board of Education, said he had seen films used with great success in the schools of Europe and heartily approved their use here.

"Such a visualization of facts is a great assistance to memory," said Max

Loeb, another member, "and I am for it strong. I know that as a boy I could have gained a much clearer impression of the facts of geography and even history, if a motion picture presentation had accompanied the lectures and study of the text. Within a few years I expect to see films used to assist students in all the large cities of the country."

DESERT MAIL IN AIR.

New Mexico Town Will See Four Aeroplanes Tried.

Gallup, N. M., Nov. 27.—Roman Hubbell, who has the government contract for carrying the mail between Gallup and Ganado, has purchased four aeroplanes which he will place in regular service on the mail route and in the passenger-carrying business between Gallup and Keam's canyon, Fort Defiance, Ganado and St. Michael.

He is awaiting the arrival of a mechanic to install the engines and other equipment in the machines. The mail route to Gallup is across a desert and it has been a more or less unsatisfactory service. It is performed by a Navajo pony and rider.

Mr. Hubbell expects that his air machines will do good passenger business as soon as the people of this section become used to the new method of transportation.

Enjoyed a Duck Hunting Trip.

A party composed of Fleming Carpenter, Paul Sisson and Bert Rainey of Maryville, enjoyed a duck hunting trip on the large farm of W. L. Carpenter south of town the last of the week. The ducks, however, had mostly vamoosed, going south with the storm of the first of the week.—Burlington Junction Post.

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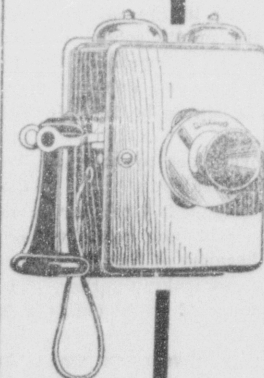
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HOG CHOLERA

Dr. G. H. Leach of Maryville, Missouri, has taken the agency for the Guilfoil Anti-Hog Cholera Serum and will have a fresh supply in refrigeration at his office.

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Dinner Sunday.

Miss Effie McDonald will have as her guests at 6 o'clock dinner Sunday evening at her home Miss Neola Miller, Miss Nettie Miller, Will O'Grady, Dave Seckington, and Harry Scott.

Dinner at Wells Home.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Wells had as their guests at dinner last evening Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hamm of Iowa Falls, Ia., who are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Case, and Mr. Case, and Mr. and Mrs. William Moll Case.

Dinner at Maple Hill Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Guthrie entertained Friday at dinner for their son, Glen. The guests were: Misses Lotis, Gladys and Mary Macomber of Troy, Kan., Grace and Marybell Fisher, Mrs. Bertha Vert and daughter, Miss Augusta May.

Mr. and Mrs. Berney Harris Entertain.

The following guests were pleasantly entertained last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Berney Harris on South Main street, Professor and Mrs. H. A. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Van Cleve, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Van Cleve, Miss Odell Ruch, and Miss Dorothy McDonald.

Mrs. Wilderman Hostess.

Mrs. T. L. Wilderman entertained a few friends in compliment to Mrs. L. Catterson of Duluth, Minn., who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Omer Catterson, yesterday afternoon at her home informally at bridge. Mrs. H. C. Hooker won the high score. Several beautiful vocal selections were rendered during the afternoon by Mrs. A. F. Harvey. Mrs. Wilderman was assisted by Miss Eva Rittenour.

Entertained Last Night.

Miss Fannie Hope entertained a few friends last evening at her home, 315 North Mulberry street. The evening was pleasantly spent playing progressive somerset, after which dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her niece, Charlotte Welch. The guests were: Miss Mary Boggs, Miss Harriet Van Buren, Miss Olive De Luce, Miss Bertha Hook, Miss Orril Helwig, Miss Carrie Hopkins and Miss Emily Coats.

Hum Drums Give Tea

Linville Hotel Parlor.

The Hum Drum club gave a tea yesterday afternoon in the parlors of the Linville hotel from 3 to 4 o'clock for the Normal students, the ladies of the Normal faculty and the wives of the men who are members of the faculty. About seventy-five guests were entertained.

Those who assisted the club members were: Miss Mary Lewis, Miss Olivette Godsey and Miss Nina Bent.

Thanksgiving Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Younke Hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Younke entertained a number of guests at 12 o'clock dinner Thanksgiving day at their home. Those in the party were: Mrs. Wallace Hardin of Maitland, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Baublits of Parnell, Mrs. M. C. Baublits and son, George Cowan of Las Animas, Col., Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Baublits, Herman Younke, Jr., Baublitt Wright, Misses Clara Taylor, Elsie and Pearl Marie Wright, Marie, Mabel, Charlene and Adeline Pixler, Doris Younke and the host and hostess.

Hum Drum Club Annual Progressive Luncheon.

The Hum Drum club will hold its seventh annual progressive luncheon tonight, beginning at 6 o'clock, at the home of Miss Vera Tilson, with Miss Tilson and Miss Eleanor Smith as hostesses. The second course will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Wilfley, with Miss Marjorie and Miss Geneva as hostesses. The third course will be served at the home of Mrs. Edward Wright Gray, at her home on West Third street, with Mrs. Gray and Miss Carrie Margaret Baker hostesses.

The fourth course will be served at Reuillard's cafe, with Miss Blanche Shipp and Miss Ruth Reuillard hostesses, after which the club will have a business meeting and elect officers.

The members of the club are Misses Marjorie and Geneva Wilfley, Dale Hoffman, Carrie Margaret Baker, Vera Tilson, Eleanor Smith, Ruth Reuillard and Miss Blanche Shipp.

Mock Trial and Box Supper Gill School Wednesday Night.

A mock trial was given at the Gill school house Wednesday night, November 24. The indictment read as follows: "The prosecution of this case brings forth Mr. Oliver King, charged with stealing one chicken from W. W. Wood. This was a Blue Minorca hen 7 years of age and she was taken from a nest consisting of thirty-three eggs some time between 10 and 12 o'clock

Maryville Lyceum Course

Second Number

Arthur Walwyn Evans

Welsh Wit and Humorist

Thursday, December 2, 8 o'clock p. m.

M. E. CHURCH

Admission - - 50 cents

Monday night. The plaintiff, upon hearing the bark of a dog, did three-upon investigate and did see the defendant leaving said hen house going towards the road, and thereupon saw him struggling to get through the fence.

"Tuesday morning the sheriff was called and found near the fence one coat, which will be offered as evidence to convince beyond doubt that the said defendant is guilty."

Mr. Joe Davis acted as sheriff and S. O. Keever as judge. Mr. Will Smith of Maryville was lawyer for the plaintiff and A. L. Oakerson represented Mr. King.

The jury comprised Walter Williams, Ott Monk and William Hammond. The defendant was found guilty and his sentence was that he must draw on the board a picture of the chicken which was stolen. This he did. Following the trial was a prophesy and newspaper which was enjoyed by all.

Miss Hazel Teson of Skidmore was voted the most popular young lady and was awarded a box of bonbons.

George Hammond of Maryville was voted the best looking man, and received a pair of black silk hose. The proceeds of the entertainment was \$30. Miss Mary Carter is the teacher.

Mrs. Colby Entertains.

Mrs. J. P. Colby entertained this afternoon at her home with an informal tea in compliment to her sister, Mrs. Paul Ream of Kansas City and niece, Miss Esther Saunders of Pueblo, Col.

Will o' the Wisp Club Entertains at Bellows Home.

The Will o' the Wisp club entertained about forty friends last night at the home of Miss Mildred Bellows. The house was beautifully decorated in autumn leaves and pink and yellow chrysanthemums. The evening was pleasantly spent playing games, and Miss Georgia Evans and Mr. Howard Martin won the prizes playing "turkey," after which a two-course luncheon was served. The color scheme of pink and yellow was cleverly carried out in the luncheon and also in the table decorations, which were dainty yellow candlesticks tied with bows of pink tulle. Music was furnished on the victrola.

The guests were: Misses Mary Carpenter, Josephine Wilderman, Leola Pierpoint, Ruth Hankins, Laura Curfman, Louise Rowlett, Mary Louise Andrews, Mary Heffern, Mary Margaret Richey, Mary Condon, Georgia Evans, Messrs. Will Van Cleve, Donald Hagins, Omer Lyle, Leland Leffler, Hester Lyle, Dewey Saunders, Harley Hughes, Clarence Cook, Rolla Curruett, Ellison Frank, Eugene Aley, Phillip Colbert, Kenneth Van Cleve, Claude Glass, Forrest Gillam, Martin Lewis, Jr., Charles Bellows, Harold Martin, Eugene Martin and Barnes Combs of Kansas City, who is the guest of Harold Martin.

The members of the club are: Misses Mildred Bellows, Mabel Curruett, Elfreida Linville, Virginia Robinson, Marie Wright, Elizabeth Leet, Lillian Carpenter and Mary Woodridge.

Yuletide Fair and Bazaar.

Christian Church Parlor Next Week.

The ladies of the Christian church will hold their annual Yuletide fair and bazaar Wednesday and Thursday, December 1 and 2, in the church parlors. The feature of this event will be the parcel post and homemade rug sale, which will be under the direction of Mrs. Ellis Cook and Mrs. L. E. Forsyth, and the latter under the direction of Mrs. J. B. Robinson. They will have a Japanese booth, which will have all sorts of clever suggestions for gifts and in this booth they will also have the homemade candies.

In addition to the fair they will serve a chicken pie dinner on Wednesday, for which the ladies are quite famous, and they will have a fried chicken supper, Thursday they will serve a roast beef dinner and all those who have taken dinner with them in the past know that these ladies excel in these dinners.

The fair will be open at night, but there will not be any program.

The ladies in charge of the different departments are: fancy work and useful articles, Mrs. Ed Hamlin, Mrs. R. L. McDougal, Mrs. O. W. Swinford and Mrs. Lee Crossan. The Japanese

booth, Miss Harriet VanBuren; dining room, Mrs. U. S. Wright, Mrs. George Hartley, Mrs. E. D. Holmes and Mrs. Eugene Rathbun. Menu, Mrs. J. R. Brink, Mrs. F. P. Reuillard, Mrs. Jack Anderson, Mrs. J. G. Melvin, Mrs. W. A. Miller and Mrs. Robinson Craven.

"WHAT WILL I GET TO EAT?"

Housewife's Age Old Question Will Be Answered by Experts at St. Joseph Farm Congress, Dec. 9-11.

"What shall I get for dinner?" that old, old question that arises in every household, just as soon as the men folks push back from the breakfast table, is to have a thorough discussion by experts at the third annual Interstate Agricultural and Industrial congress to be held at St. Joseph, Dec. 9-11.

It will be taken up by three very bright women who are trying to solve the problems of farm women in Missouri and Kansas—Miss Bab Bell and Miss Addie D. Root of the extension department of the University of Missouri, and Miss Louise Caldwell of Kansas. They are noted for the good work they have done in the last few years.

BE CAREFUL

When You Mail Your Christmas Packages.

The November issue of the United States Postal Guide has just been received in the city and contains a number of suggestions, which if followed out, will insure the prompt delivery of your packages, and will also greatly facilitate the work of the army of men employed by Uncle Sam, for the purpose. The following is a list of suggestions, it will do well to follow: Prepay postage fully on all parcels. Address parcels fully and plainly. Place name and address of sender on all matter.

Pack articles carefully and wrap them securely, but do not seal them, as sealed parcels are subject to postage at the letter rate.

Mail parcels early. They may be marked, "Do not open until Christmas."

Insure valuable parcels.

Written inscriptions such as "Merry Christmas," "Happy New Year," "With Best Wishes," and numbers, names or letters for purpose of description are permissible additions to fourth class (parcel post) mail. Books may bear simple, dedicatory inscriptions not of a personal nature. Other written additions subject parcels to letter postage. Communications prepaid at first class rate may be sent with parcels prepaid at fourth class rate, provided they are placed in envelopes securely attached to outside parcels.

Liked Hanson's Refereeing.

Pattonburg defeated Hamilton high school here 44-11 Thursday. Prof. Walter Hanson, superintendent of athletics of the Northwest Normal at Maryville, refereed the game to the entire satisfaction of both teams. He says it was one of the cleanest games he ever refereed.—Pattonburg Call.

Nodaway Boy's Grades Best.

Word has been received here that T. F. Morrison, Jr., who is attending college at St. Mary's, Kan., won first honors at the examinations held last week. His average in all branches was ninety-four and one-fourth per cent, and his deportment was perfect. The student making the best average receives a white ribbon—Conception Courier.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Wolfers of Burlington Junction, entertained these guests at dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Limerick and daughters, Misses Winifred and Dorothy of Savannah, Miss Katherine Morgan of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. C. Wolfers Jr., and daughter, Miss Mildred, and Jack Robinson of Hopkins, Harry Wilson of this place. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wolfers and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wolfers and daughter, Miss Mary, of Pickering, motored to Burlington Junction and were their guests.—Burlington Junction Post.

Minnesota Guests Here.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Catterson have as their guests their son, Dr. L. Catterson, and Mrs. Catterson of Duluth, Minn.

THIS COW COULD SUPPLY 47

Holstein in M. U. Dairy Herd Gives 64,957 Pounds of Milk in Three Years.—Normal Care and Feed.

If you were keeping forty-seven persons in a boarding house and had only one cow to supply milk and butter, what would you do?

If the cow were Carlotta Pontiac, a 12-year-old Holstein bred and owned by the dairy husbandry department of the College of Agriculture of the University of Missouri at Columbia and you gave each boarder an amount equal to the per capita consumption of milk and butter in the United States, you would not need to do anything but sell 9,643 pounds of milk every year. That is the amount she produced each of the last three years above the per capita allowance for forty-seven persons. The per capita consumption is figured, on the calculation of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, as 17.6 pounds of butter a year and one-third of a quart of milk a day.

In three years Carlotta Pontiac has produced 64,957 pounds of milk and 2,480 pounds of butter. The average Missouri cow would have furnished in that time 10,500 pounds of milk and 420 of butter, about one-sixth as much as Carlotta. At the average price in Columbia of 7½ cents a quart for the milk, Carlotta's product in three years would be worth \$2,319.90. At 30 cents a pound for the butter and 25 cents a hundred pounds for the skim milk, it would be worth \$882.05. The latter return would involve little cost of handling.

Carlotta Pontiac's three-year record perhaps has not been equalled by any other cow in Missouri. She is still producing milk, having given birth to a heifer calf three weeks ago. However, she is not on test now. The production of Carlotta Pontiac is made possible by her breeding. A record made by her three years ago was broken a year later by her ungrateful sister.

Like other cows in the dairy herd at the University, Carlotta eats grain, corn silage, and alfalfa hay. Of the silage and hay she has all she will eat. With the grain she gets cotton seed meal and bran.

78 AUTOS FOR CHICAGO, P. O.

Machines Will Supplant Street Cars and Save \$75,000.

Chicago, Nov. 27.—Seventy-eight automobiles have been placed in service by the post office department, to transport all mails between the main and branch offices and the various railroad stations, supplanting the wagon and special street car services.

The government has been paying approximately \$75,000 a year for the use of twelve cars on Chicago street car lines between certain stations and has let contracts for the hauling to other points to private contractors.

Of a list of 737 women at the University of Missouri at Columbia compiled during registration week, only twenty-eight expressed no preference as to church membership.

Seventy of the 200 students in the Two Year Winter Course in Agriculture at the University of Missouri at Columbia are taking the work in practical dairying.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1896.
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A. W. GLEASON,
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WATERWAYS AS DEFENSE

SENATOR JAMES A. REED LEADING
SPEAKER AT RIVERS CONGRESS

National Water Improvement Members
Will Discuss Needs in Wash-
ington Dec. 8-10.—To Make Fight.

Washington, Nov. 27.—Waterways as a means of national defense will be a keynote struck at the next Convention of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, which meets in Washington, D. C., December 8-9-10. This topic will be treated by Congressman J. Hampton Moore of Pennsylvania, who has studied the subject thoroughly and is well qualified to speak with authority. With preparedness the crucial issue before the country, this discussion is especially opportune. It is expected that Representative Moore will stress the value of improved inland waterways as an aid to the speedy mobilization of American forces in event of a threatened invasion.

The National Rivers and Harbors Congress plans to hold a tremendous Convention, as a strong protest against the bitter attacks made recently upon waterway appropriations. "The proper improvement of the Nation's worthy water courses" will be the battle cry.

Among the prominent men who will address the organization will be Gov. Edward F. Dunne of Illinois, whose subject is "The Illinois Waterway." The west's interest in waterways will be championed by the new Senator from California, Hon. James B. Phelan. The Missouri river, which was so caustically criticized by ex-Senator Burton, will be the subject of an address by Senator "Jim" Reed, of Missouri, who will fire the opening broadside in its defense.

Moving pictures, especially prepared for the purpose, and showing the work

of improving the Mississippi river, will be a novel auxiliary to the address of Congressman Ben Humphreys of Mississippi.

A Big Buck Deer.

A big buck deer was jumped in the country north of Dawsonville Sunday morning and gave the men and boys in that locality a lot of fun during the day. The animal walked down the road close to the F. D. Hurst home and was easily jumped high son conducted the services. Burial fences and at one place on the road was in Miriam cemetery.

almost caused a team to run away. When darkness came the deer was still at large and the crowd of tired hunters gave up the chase. Deer have been reported at several places in the county and it would not be surprising to hear of one being brought to bag.—Burlington Junction Post.

Funeral Services Held.

Funeral services of Mrs. F. M. Schweikhardt, who died Monday night, were held Thursday at the Mt. Ayr church at 1 o'clock. Rev. J. H. Thompson conducted the services. Burial was in Miriam cemetery.



Booster Day in Maryville

Saturday, December 4

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In CASH PRIZES

Free Motion Picture Matinees

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An Often Underestimated Power

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Advertising has proved itself to be one of the greatest powers in mercantile development. Without it the wheels of progress would be at a standstill.

The merchant of today must use newspaper space in order that he may develop his business. This great force, called advertising, is the universal educator of the rich and poor—by its message we know of the new things that are placed on the market; we learn about the latest conveniences.

By watching the advertisements from day to day in the Democrat-Forum the people of Maryville and vicinity are saving money. They see the articles advertised that they have been looking for and at prices they want to pay, so in this way the consumer is being educated to the fact that advertising is of great benefit to him.

The growing demand for advertising space in the Democrat-Forum goes to show that advertising is a first class investment for those who are using it.

If you are a merchant who wants to increase your business we give you a special invitation to let us show you how you can do so. It is simply by the persistent use of good advertising copy in

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Largest Circulation of any Daily Paper in any Missouri Town its size.

Sunday Services at Local Churches

Episcopal.

Services in the K. of P. hall, on the north side of the square. Archdeacon Johnson of Kansas City will conduct the services.

Buchanan Pastor at Methodist.

Preaching by pastor at each service. Other meetings at usual hours. Subject of morning sermon, "Our Church Papers." Evening subject, "Christ, Our Example."

First Methodist.

At 11 a. m. Rev. A. H. DeLong, D. D., field secretary of Ensworth hospital, St. Joseph will preach. At 7:30 p. m. Rev. C. O. Kimball, D. D., pastor White Temple, St. Joseph, will speak on Ensworth hospital.

First Christian.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Rev. C. M. Miller of Kansas City will preach both morning and evening. His subject for the morning service will be "Turning Back."

Christian Endeavor at 7:30 p. m. Evening service at 6:30. Subject, "The Two Ways."

First Baptist.

Lewis M. Hale, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Sermon subject, "Tried But True." Anthem, "I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes Unto the Hills." Danks. Mrs. Westbrook will sing "Gloria." Buzzi-Peccia.

B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Miss Viva Cloud and Miss Marcia Cutler, leaders.

Evening worship at 7:30. Subject, "Comparative Values of Man." The pastor is anxious to see everybody in their places. The public cordially invited.

First Presbyterian.

William Moll Case, pastor. The church school at 9:45 o'clock has a welcome for all not otherwise schooled.

The morning worship at 11 a. m. is knit together by the thought of "Nehemiah's call to eat the fat and drink the sweet." The special musical number will be a solo by Mrs. Case. The sermonette for the Junior congregation is "The One Page from the Book of Rules for Children: When Children May Cry." All without a church home are invited to find the same with us. The evening worship at 7:30 p. m. The theme for this meeting, "Neutrality Impossible." The ladies' quartet, whose numbers at the Thanksgiving



REV. C. EMERSON MILLER, AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH TOMORROW.

praise evoked such favorable comment, will be heard again at this time.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

206 South Main. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Subject, "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism Denounced." No Sunday night service.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Reading room, Michau building, over Townsend's grocery, each afternoon from 2 until 5 o'clock.

Everyone welcome to the use of the reading room and to all services.

Gives Thanksgiving Dinner.

The cemetery association at Quitman served a turkey dinner at the W. O. W. hall Thanksgiving day which was attended by a large crowd from all over the county, and the people in Quitman entertained their guests there instead of serving dinner at home.

Among those who had guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Dean, who entertained Mr. and Mrs. Dean and son John, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dean and children, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Duttrick and children and Mrs. Will Powers of Parnell.

The association cleared \$41.75, which will be used for the up-keep of the cemetery.

Marriage Licenses.

J. A. Buxton.....Creston
Minnie Swobody.....St. Joseph
Lee E. Campbell.....Hopkins
Ethel George.....Hopkins

Closing Out Sale

Having decided to leave the state, I will sell at public sale, 8 miles east and 1 3-4 miles north of Maryville and 3 1-2 miles northwest of Ravenwood and 1 1-4 miles south of Harmony church, on

Tuesday, December 7, 1915

The following described property:

4 HEAD OF HORSES--Team of bay mares, 4 and 5 years old, 2 colts.

11 HEAD OF CATTLE--7 head of good milk cows, 4 head of calves.

16 HEAD OF HOGS--11 head of summer pigs, 5 shoats.

HAY AND GRAIN--About 18 tons of hay, some corn and oats.

IMPLEMENTS--Busy Bee cultivator, disc harrow, harrow, 16-in sulky plow, farm wagon, hay frame, mowing machine, 2 sets work harness, saddle, some household goods, sewing machine, chair, coal heater and many other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS--All sums of \$10 and under cash, over that amount 3, 6 or 9 months time on bankable note bearing 8 per cent from date.

R. P. HOSMER, Auct.
S. H. KEMP, Clerk

Roy Lattin

CLOSING OUT SALE

As I am going to quit farming, I will sell at Public Sale at the Wm. Doran farm, 4 miles northwest of Ravenwood, 2 miles south and 1 mile west of Harmony, and 7 miles east and 1 mile north of Maryville, on the following described property to wit:

Wednesday, December 1, 1915

HORSES--1 brown mare, 4 years old, gentle for lady; 1 bay horse, 4 years old, 1 black horse 3 years old, 1 brown horse 3 years old, 2 good brood mares, 2 yearlings, mare and horse; 1 good suckling colt. All horses are in good shape.

CATTLE--23 milk cows, good ones most of them giving milk now, 1 to be fresh in February.

HOGS--6 good brood sows with pigs by side and 5 tried brood sows.

IMPLEMENTS--1 wagon, 1 buggy, 1 gang plow new, 1 corn planter and check row new, 1 2-row go-devil, new; 1 endgate seeder, new; 1 disc harrow new; 1 2-section harrow, 2 cultivators, 1 14-inch walking plow, 2 sets of Concord harness, 1 set Slip-tug harness, all good as new; 1 set single harness steel coal oil barrel and contents, 2 incubators, 1 Old Trusty 150 egg capacity, and 1 Fairfield 150 egg capacity, 1 telephone, about 10 tons of timothy and clover hay, mixed, in barn, and about the same amount in stack, also 4 tons of straight clover hay.

TERMS OF SALE--All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash. Over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time will be given to purchaser giving approved bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Positively nothing to be taken from premises until terms are complied with.

Lunch by Corn Belt Cafe. Sale starts promptly at 10 a. m.

CHAS. EVANS,
W. F. SAWYER, Auctioneers.
JOSEPH JACKSON, Jr., Clerk.

Wm. Broyles

DAIRY

PROPER TIME TO FILL SILO

Begin Operation Soon as Corn Has Reached Right Stage for Fodder--Let the Silage Settle.

(By J. G. WATSON, Missouri Experiment Station.)

Don't wait too long to fill the silo. Begin as soon as the corn is right for fodder. The kernels should be in the dough stage but dented and the lower leaves turning brown. Let the corn mature as much as possible without becoming so dry that water must be added to make the silage pack solidly and ferment properly.

Cut into pieces half to three-fourths of an inch long to make them pack well and to prevent waste in feeding. This takes more power but is worth it. Pack well with concrete tampers, keeping the silage higher at the wall than in the center.

Fill slowly, if possible letting the silage settle a day or so at a time. This makes it keep better and increases the amount the silo will hold. This amount may be still further increased by using woven wire to hold more silage at the top. It will gradually settle into the silo but tends to spoil while doing so. If more silage is added after such settling, take out the spoiled layer at the top.

If caught by frost, the corn for silage should be cut before it dries out. After that, add water. The corn may even be shocked to put in at a more convenient time or to refill the silo if enough water is added.

The experiment station has published bulletins on shock corn for silage; silo building; and silage for horses, mules and steers.

KEEPS OUT DIRT AND FLIES

Sanitary Device, Invented by Texan, Closes Aperture in Bucket During Milking Operation.

A milk pail which tends to prevent the unnecessary contamination of its contents by flies and dirt has been invented and patented by a Texas ranchman. Instead of being open and therefore a catchall for filth, as is the ordinary bucket, the device is provided with a cover having a funnel-shaped



Sanitary Sleeve With Slits.

opening in the middle. A sanitary sleeve with slits for the insertion of the hands is fixed to this, so that the aperture in the bucket is entirely inclosed during the milking operation. Popular Mechanics.

TRAMP SILO WHILE FILLING

One or Two Men Needed to Give Silage Such Compactness as Will Insure Its Proper Curing.

The importance of tramping while filling is one that must be given consideration. In a silo at least one or two men are needed in order to give the silage such compactness as will insure proper curing. The outside or near the silo wall should be kept the nearest and made in the most compact condition. This will prevent spoiling, which is so very frequent in poorly packed silage.

If the silo is filled quickly and poorly tramped, there will be a large amount of settling. Where a farmer owns his own outfit it will pay to allow this settling to take place for one or two days and then fill up the silo.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

DAIRY FACTS

RULES FOR FILLING A SILO

Iowa Agricultural Experiment Station Offers Some Excellent Suggestions on the Work.

To farmers who are filling silos this year for the first time, the Iowa agricultural experiment station offers these suggestions:

The corn should be cut when the kernels are dented, or when about a fourth of the husks and lower leaves are turning brown. It should be as near maturity as possible and yet contain enough moisture to insure fermentation.

Either a half-inch of three-quarter-inch cut is best because that length insures less waste and a larger pack of corn in the silo.

Slow filling makes it possible to pack the corn more thoroughly and get in a larger tonnage. With rapid filling the cost is less, but to fill to capacity the silage should be allowed to settle and then refill.

Corn should be uniformly packed in the silo and with good distribution of stalks and ears. If the sides are kept about two feet higher than the center, the silage wedges against the sides, keeps in the heat of fermentation and kills molds.

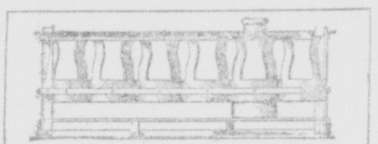
Water needs to be added when filling if the corn in the silo is not moist. Water must always be added when the corn is very ripe, when the corn is severely frozen before it is properly matured, or when filling late in the fall with shocked corn.

Keep the sides of the silo air-tight by filling cracks with soft clay, if the silo is wooden, or with cement if of masonry.

USEFUL MILK BOTTLE HOLDER

Corrugated Strips Riveted to Intermediate Frame Hold Narrow-Necked Vessels in Position.

There are upper and lower rectangular frames to a milk bottle case, recently patented by a young San Francisco inventor. Corner angles unite the two frames, and intermediate



Milk Bottle Holder.

ate frame is secured to the corner angles. A longitudinal bar is riveted to the middle frame near the center. Corrugated strips are riveted to the intermediate frame and the longitudinal bar, these holding the milk bottles in place by acting as side supports. Various deviations of the main idea are covered with three other patents.

SERIOUS DISEASE OF CALF

White Scours Usually Appear Within Two or Three Days After and Are Often Fatal.

White scours, or calf cholera, come on so soon after birth that often the calves are dead before they are considered to be seriously sick.

This disease usually appears within two or three days after the calf is dropped. Seldom do any cases develop after the calf is two or three months old.

The symptoms are usually failure to eat, the calf lying down much of the time, the eyes grow dull, and a peculiar pasty white excretion is noticeable. The calf often dies within 24 hours. Only immediate attention will save it.

The disease is usually contracted by infection through the navel cord. Prevention is better than cure.

HORSE LABOR IS NECESSARY

Many Important Factors Can Be Controlled by Manager in Making Dairy Farming Successful.

Horse labor is a necessary item on the dairy farm and should command much attention from the manager. If its efficiency drops the profits of the farm are decreased, and the profits from the cows must bear a loss in the horse-labor item. It is seen then that successful dairymaking is not making a success with cows alone, but profitably combining a number of factors. Man, labor and crop yields per acre are other important factors that can be controlled to a considerable extent by the manager.

Flavor of Milk Affected.

The odor and flavor of milk are very readily affected by rape, cabbage, turnips, and other feeds having strong odors, and if these are used they should be given after milking. In which case there is little danger of imparting an unpleasant flavor or odor to the milk.

Demand for Dairy Butter.

There is always a good local demand for really good farm dairy butter. There is a sentiment connected with homemade butter, which is not attached to that made in butter factories, which impels people to buy it at something above the going price.

FARM STOCK

DRUGS GIVEN TO LIVE STOCK

Medicines Are Administered by People Without Knowledge of Action--Study Symptoms of Animals.

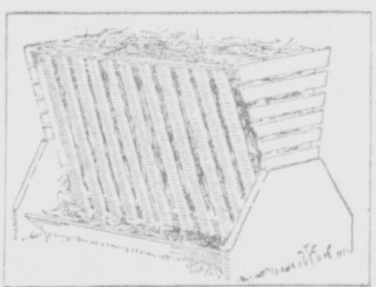
Frequently drugs are administered by people without any knowledge of their action. One individual only recently asked what he should give his horse when aconite and nitre had failed to cure. It is always best for one to know the action of a drug before it is administered to live stock. A thorough study of the symptoms of the animal should be made before any drugs are given. Just because certain drugs have succeeded in some neighbor's horses, there is no reason they will cure yours. To illustrate—a horse is suffering from colic. A dose of opium would be correct to give if it is spasmodic colic, while if the patient has impaction of the bowels a dose of opium would only pack the bowels the harder. A dose of aconite should never be given when the heart is weak and slow, for the reason that aconite depresses the heart and will cause death. On the other hand, aconite would be the proper drug to give when the heart was beating full and strong and very rapid. A common mistake is to give horses sweet spirits of nitre when suffering from frequent urination, as this drug is a diuretic or increases the flow of urine. It only aggravates the trouble in this particular case.

In diseases of the respiratory tract when the high fever has caused constipation one should never use aloes on account of the danger from super-purgation. Raw linseed oil is preferable, as it is much safer.

CONCRETE FLOOR IS FAVORED

Much Waste of Feed Can Be Prevented by Average Farmer--Roughage Rack for Swine Is Shown.

There is a great deal of feed wasted on the average farm each year, but so little is lost at a time that you seldom notice it. If you would take the time to count up what is knocked out of the troughs by the animals and trampled under foot in one month's time you would be so surprised at the large



Roughage Feed Rack for Swine.

quantity that you would all take steps to be more careful in the future.

One of the most common ways of wasting feed is to feed it upon the ground when the surface is wet or soft. Feed scattered about in this fashion will soon be tramped upon and buried under the mud. Pigs, especially, are wasteful of feed given to them in this way, but many feeders have realized the loss and have prevented it by building concrete feeding floors which will not only feed their cost in the feed they save in a few years, but enable the quarters to be kept in a mere sanitary condition.

Feed may be wasted when it is fed in the mangers in excess of the animal's needs. This is a loss that is easily preventable, for the feeder if he is observing will know just how much the animal will eat up clean.

For feeding alfalfa, clover, soy bean hay or other coarse feed, a rack of the kind shown in the illustration is handy and prevents waste. More simple racks are often constructed on the inside of a hog house by placing them against one of the sides of the building or adjoined to the pen partition.

DAMAGED WHEAT FOR SWINE

Greater Gains Obtained in Tests in Feeding It Alone Than With Corn in Fattening Hogs.

The grade and market price of part of the 1915 wheat crop has been so much reduced by sprouting in the shock that it is not too high for hog feed. Recent feeding tests by L. A. Weaver at the Missouri experiment station have shown that wheat fed alone gives greater gains in fattening hogs than either corn alone or corn mixed with wheat. The addition of tankage to the ration resulted in still more economical gains, especially during the early part of the feeding period.

If ground, the wheat is better digested and three pecks produce as much gain as a bushel of unground wheat, both being soaked.

Pig Feeding Experiment.

At the Ontario station, 100 pounds of meal, when fed to 40-pound pigs, proved equal to 406.9 pounds of skim milk and to from 37.6 to 48.5 pounds of tankage, depending upon the grade used. The skim milk was fed in the proportion of about one and a half pounds to one pound of meal, the tankage one pound to about six pounds of meal.

MARKET REPORTS

TODAY'S MARKETS BY WIRE.

Grain Market Futures.
Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Kansas City, Nov. 27.—WHEAT—December, 96½c; May, \$1.00½.
CORN—December, 60½c; May, 63½c.

Kansas City Live Stock.
Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Kansas City, Nov. 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 100.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,000. Market steady; top, \$6.70; bulk, \$6.30 to \$6.60.
SHEEP—Receipts, none. Market weak.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Nov. 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 200. Market slow. Estimate tomorrow, 20,000.

HOGS—Receipts, 20,000. Market weak to 5c lower; top, \$6.80.
SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000. Market weak.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Nov. 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 100. Market slow.
HOGS—Receipts, 8,200. Market weak to 5c lower; top, \$6.55.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,500. Market weak.

SALOON ATTACKED BY MANY MEN

(Continued from page 1.)

Brotherhood Men Speak.

Prof. H. A. Miller for the First M. E. Brotherhood said that the men must get away down deep in their hearts a hatred for the saloon and a determination that it must go from the whole nation. He quoted a large list of figures on the saloon problem showing what a tremendous economic waste the business is.

Then he told the most gripping story of the evening when he outlined the career of a young man going from a country home to a city and making good in a large way; then going down to a drunken vagabond where he is today.

"Do you wonder that I hate the saloon so intensely," said Professor Miller, "when I tell you that the man is my own blood brother?"

W. H. Crawford said that he took it that it was one of the big business jobs of the men's brotherhoods of the churches to put the saloons out of business. He told the story of Huckleberry Finn and the rattlesnake and said that the brotherhoods were just about to throw their stone at the snake's head.

M. A. Peery of the Wage Earners said that now was the time to begin, and his remarks were seconded by P. P. Robinson, speaking for the Christian brotherhood. The Rev. G. S. Cox told of the way the church is hampered at home and abroad by the saloon. He said that his subject was, "Can the churches get along without the saloon?" and answered by saying that they can't get along very well with it.

Many Favor Earliest Date.

Mr. Peery said that he had talked to a large number of business men yesterday and that all were in favor of having the election at the earliest moment possible. Mr. Robinson said that all were agreed that February 3 was legal, and many lawyers thought that it could be held any time after January 5.

Fred Hull, speaking on organization, said that it was an acknowledged fact that the anti-saloon forces had a comfortable majority, and that what was necessary was to see that all of them got to the polls. He recommended the forming of ward squads, as in a political fight. He insisted that there was no use to argue with saloons, because everyone knows that saloons are an evil.

W. C. Van Cleve, on the same subject, said that when the question of organization was reached it was time to clear the deck for action, stop the pyrotechnics and get down to business. He said that there were three questions: Shall we make the fight against the saloons? That has been answered by an affirmative.

When? As soon as possible, the majority are saying. Then the how of the election was all that was left. The first "how" is that the dry forces should go out with one word as a goal constantly before them, "Win." He recommended the selection of a broad practical man to lead the campaign, and the gathering around him of men of like caliber as advisers and collaborators. Mr. Van Cleve also recommended that as soon as possible a complete poll of the voters of the city and their sentiments be taken.

You Can Enjoy Life

Eat what you want and not be troubled with indigestion if you will take a **Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet** before and after each meal. Sold by us—25c a box.

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Miscellaneous.

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

WANTED—Man to sell trees, shrubs, roses, berry bushes. Permanent. Brown Brothers, Nurseries, Rochester, N. Y.

LOST—Automobile casing, Silver-toned cord tire, 36x4½, new. \$5.00 reward. Return to G. L. Whiffey. 26-29*

WANTED—You to attend the public sale at J. V. Moore's farm, near Harmony, Friday, Dec. 3. 5 horses, mules, 26 cattle, 80 hogs, all extra good, will be sold. 26-29*

WANTED—To buy some rags; will pay 50c per hundred pounds. 1321 East Third. 27-30*

SALESMEN—\$300 to \$500 per month salary or commission selling our oils, greases, paints and other specialties. Do not be satisfied; get our proposition. Inland Oil Works Co., Cleveland, O. 27*

For Rent.

FOR RENT—Rooms close in. 418 West Second. . .

FOR RENT—6-room modern house, corner Vine and Fifth. Inquire J. D. Dickerson, Farmers phone 185. 6-11

FOR RENT—Modern cottage on West First. See Dr. Jesse Miller. 26-29

FOR RENT—To right party cheap, 6-room house on West Ninth. R. S. Branigan. 26-29

FOR RENT—Rooms for light house-keeping, furnished or unfurnished 208 South Saunders. 27-30*

For Sale.

FOR SALE—New corn. Also 4 Poland-China gilts. Farmers phone 219. 23-25*

FOR SALE—Two registered O. I. C. boars, 1 yearling sow and 2 gilts. W. W. Andrews, route 4, Farmers phone 45-17. 26-27*

FOR SALE OR RENT—Now empty 6-room house adjoining Normal grounds; 15 lots. J. T. Hayes, West Twelfth street. 25-11

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, Col. Wonder breeding, eligible to record. R. L. Hurst, Bolckow. Phone 327.

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, eligible to record. A. B. Dowden and Dale Partridge, route 3, Maryville. Farmers phone. 22-11

FOR SALE—Rose Comb White Leghorn cockerels. Also a few Mammoth White Holland turkey toms. Mrs. E. S. Byerrum, Pickering, Mo., route 1. 26-25*

FARM FOR SALE—120 acres, all upland, 8 miles east and 5 miles north of Maryville, 4 miles west and 1 mile south of Parnell. \$2,000 will handle it. Investigate this before